

U. S. ARMIES OPEN BIG DRIVE

German Report Says Huge Offensive Under Way

Thousands Of Allied Planes Again Smash At Nazis

Reeling Germany Again Battered By Huge Air Armada

Thousands Of Allied Warplanes Rip And Tear At Germany Again Today

TIMED WITH DRIVE IN COLOGNE AREA

(BULLETIN)

LONDON, Feb. 23.—(INS)—Thousands of Allied warplanes, striking from three directions and bearing the insignia of the American, British and Russian air forces, rocked vast areas of Germany today in an overpowering assault which the enemy asserted was timed with the opening of a long-awaited offensive on the western front.

Strong forces of Russian bombers joined in the assault from the east, blasting Nazi troops west of the Neisse river while the RAF and U. S. air forces apparently concentrated on communication lines serving both eastern and western fronts.

By JOSEPH THOMAS
(I. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

LONDON, Feb. 23.—Thousands of Allied warplanes ripped and tore at Germany by daylight today in an overpowering onslaught which the enemy reported was timed with the opening of the long-awaited offensive in the Cologne section of the western front.

A 300-mile-long sky armada roared out of bases in Britain to spear-

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PA NEWC Observers

Three weeks ago today was groundhog day.

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"Brownout" decree of the government is being well observed in New Castle, according to a survey of the city last night. Downtown the street lights were the only visible evidence of lighting effects on the streets.

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While there is still some ice along some of the streets, the mild weather of the past few days, coupled with the rains, eliminated much of the ice that has coated many streets here for the past eight or ten weeks. Traffic conditions this morning were better than at any period since the winter started back around the first of December. Snow which was threatening during the day may bring back some traffic handicaps today, but during the morning the fall was limited to light flurries.

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German Reports Say Americans Launch Full-Scale Operation

By J. C. OESTREICHER
(I. N. S. Foreign Editor)

The long-awaited American offensive against Cologne and the Rhine, delayed for months by soggy terrain, bad flying weather and Nazi Field Marshal Karl Gerd von Rundstedt's "shot in the arm" counter-offensive last December, was reported in full-scale operation by the Berlin radio today.

Although United States Marines, fighting the most bitter battle in all the long history of the corps, achieved a major victory by bloody seizure of Mt. Suribachi at the tip of Iwo Jima island in the Pacific,

the Western Front in Europe surged back into major importance with German disclosure of the American offensive.

Headquarters Silent

Headquarters of Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower in Paris maintained tight-lipped silence regarding the progress of events, confining its announcements to the progress being made by troops of the United States Third Army pounding the ancient German city of Trier.

But Berlin's obviously nervous broadcasts were circumstantial as to details and there seemed little

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Russian Forces Smash Across Neisse River

Series Of Fierce Attacks Launched Along Blazing 60-Mile Front, Moscow Reports

PLANNED GERMAN ATTACK FRUSTRATED

By NATALIA RENE
(I. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

MOSCOW, Feb. 23.—Russia's First Ukrainian army, launching a series of fierce attacks behind shattering assaults by Soviet Stormovik dive-bombers, smashed across the vital German Neisse river defense line today at a number of points over a blazing 60-mile front.

Formidable forces of Stormovik planes, showering bombs and cannon fire down upon Nazi reserves, cut open pathways for Russian engineers to establish bridges across the waterway.

Crossings of the Neisse by Soviet forces were confirmed in a wireless dispatch by the Nazi Transocean agency which asserted that "German forces were able to prevent the Red army from securing a solid foothold on the west bank."

The German DNB agency admitted that Soviet troops had penetrated into the eastern edge of Gubenn.

Cottbus Objective

The immediate objective of the charging Soviet forces, now astride the Neisse river along a broad front, appeared to be the fortress city of Cottbus guarding the southeastern approaches to Berlin.

Red army troops hammered to within 16 miles of Cottbus after striking into Brandenburg, home province of Berlin, to reach the Neisse.

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Wreckage Of Missing Plane Reported Seen

BULLETIN
2 P. M.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—(INS)—The wreckage of an American Airlines plane, with 19 passengers and a crew of three abroad, which had been missing since reporting engine trouble early today has been sighted by a search plane on a hilltop four miles southwest of Rural Retreat, Va., the airline announced this afternoon.

The searching party, flying over the wreckage at an altitude of 100 feet, reported there was no sign of life at the scene.

The wreckage of the plane—the Mercury—was strewn about the top of the hill, at an approximate elevation of 4,080 feet.

Statistics for the same date a year ago:

Maximum temperature, 58.

Minimum temperature, 33.

Precipitation, traces snow.

Snow stage, 12.8 feet.

Statistics for the same date a year ago:

Maximum temperature, 48.

Minimum temperature, 27.

Precipitation, .05 inches.

Yank Forces In Speedy Invasion Of Capul Island

Troops Land On Island Below Luzon To Protect U. S. Supply Routes

By FRANK ROBERTSON
(I. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

GEN. DOUGLAS MacARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS, Luzon, Feb. 23.—American amphibious forces, in a lightning-like invasion of Capul island below Luzon, took up positions today assuring safe passage through the narrow San Bernardino straits of reinforcements and supplies bound for Manila.

As his troops within Manila's "Intramuros" district further reduced the last tiny pocket of Japs in the Philippines capital, Gen. Douglas MacArthur announced the landings on Capul by elements of the American division of the U. S. eight army.

Light Opposition

In invading Capul, which lies in the San Bernardino straits, the Americans met only "light" opposition, according to MacArthur, who added:

"This island is the key to the straits through which passes the main navigation route to Manila Bay from the United States."

Meanwhile, on Luzon, 11th airborne division troops gained seven miles in a southward drive along the west coast of Laguna De Bay, reaching Nuntinluna. At the same time, Japanese troops attempted without success to evacuate by barge

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CHARGED WITH BEING SPY

BESIDE A BUILDING IN MANILA, capital city of the Philippines, J. E. Hoover, former Williamsport, Pa., resident (but no relation to the FBI Hoover), a leader among Filipino guerrillas during the Japanese occupation, points an accusing finger at a Chinese-Filipino charged with being a Jap spy. This is an official United States Army Signal Corps photograph.

Marines Take Vital Height In Iwo Jima Battle

Top Of 554-Foot High Extinct Volcano Captured After Terrific Combat

CASUALTIES IN BATTLE MOUNT (BULLETIN)

ADVANCED PACIFIC FLEET HEADQUARTERS, Guam, Feb. 23—(INS)—Weary Marines of the gallant 28th Division were firmly established atop Mt. Suribachi on Iwo today while along the slopes of the hard-won mountain their comrades were attacking bypassed elements of Jap defenders with flame-throwers, grenades and tommy-guns.

By JOSEPH A. BORS
(I. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

ADVANCED PACIFIC FLEET HEADQUARTERS, Guam, Feb. 23.—American Marines, weary but victorious in the bloody battle of "Hell's Hill," consolidated their positions atop newly-won Mt. Suribachi today and despite mounting losses clawed their way forward in a two-pronged drive on Iwo island's second important airfield.

Capture of the 554-foot-high extinct volcano which dominates the entire eight-mile-square island was achieved by gallant troops of the 28th Marine Infantry Regiment who doggedly battled their way up the mine-sown slopes and cliffs against scathing enemy fire.

Fall Of Height Announced

Within a few hours after Fleet Adm. Chester W. Nimitz announced that the Leathernecks had completely encircled the base of the volcano at the southern end of the strategic island which lies but 750 miles southeast of Tokyo, another special communiqué from his headquarters announced fall of the height.

The 28th Regiment of the United States Marines was observed raising the United States flag on the summit of Mount Suribachi on Iwo Island at 10:35 a. m., today, was the dramatic way in which occupation of the volcano was announced this morning.

Exactly five days, one hour and 35 minutes after the first Marines of the Fourth and Fifth Divisions stormed ashore on Iwo under cover of a devastating bombardment by massive U. S. warships and planes

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GO TO RESCUE MAROONED TROOPS



Going to the rescue of marooned troops in a nearby town, a long line of Canadian amphibious vehicles moves through a flooded village near Nijmegen, Holland, during the new offensive against the Nazis. The floods were caused when retreating Nazis blew up the dykes in an effort to delay the advance now under way in that area.

(International)

Two Congressmen U. S. Troops In Italy Capture Mountain Peaks

By WILLIAM THEIS
(I. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—House action to formally reprimand Rep. John Rankin (D) Miss., and Frank H. (Frank) (D) Mich., for their Washington's birthday brawl was avoided today when both members apologized to the house for yesterday's disturbance.

Rankin's apology was more qualified in terms than that of the Michigan member in that he stressed that he "merely did what any other gentleman would have done under the same circumstances."

But he concluded:

Not Responsible

"If I have offended the members of this body, I am sorry. But I was not responsible for what occurred in this house yesterday."

Rankin conceded a day later that he had violated the rules governing house debate by calling the slender, white-haired Mississippi member "a dirty liar."

High tempers, I agree, are unseemly in the consideration of great issues," Rankin told the house. "It is to my regret that I lost mine amid circumstances for which I ask and I hope I receive some attention from the generous members of this body."

Well-informed sources predicted that the tempo of the ground fighting will increase in the immediate future.

As ground patrolling continued on the Eighth army front the Mediterranean Air Force blasted communications in Germany, Austria, Yugoslavia and northern Italy in

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Reveal U. S. Fleet Hits Paramushiru

ADVANCE PACIFIC FLEET HEADQUARTERS, Guam, Feb. 23—(INS)—The Navy today announced plans for the construction of five Capital ships—four heavy cruisers and a large airplane carrier—in the Philadelphia area.

A Naval spokesman said contracts have been awarded the New York Shipbuilding Corporation at Camden, N. J., for construction of four heavy cruisers, estimated to cost about 40 million dollars each.

An aircraft carrier of the Essex class (27,000 tons) will be built at the Philadelphia Navy Yard.

According to the unofficial James Fighting Ships Review of 1942, the heavy cruisers should carry not less than six-inch guns nor more than 8-inch guns, the spokesman said.

The cruisers will fall in the 13,000-14,000-ton bracket, he added.

READY FOR DRIVE

LODGE, Feb. 23.—(INS)—The German radio predicted today that a lone B-29 Superfortress raiding the Osaka area early this morning, dropping "a small number" of bombs. FCC monitors recorded the transmission.

DEATH RECORD

Friday, February 23, 1945

Mrs. Charles Huff, 535 Sampson street.

Cologne And Rhine Goal Of Offensive Along Wide Front

By JAMES L. KILGALLEN
International News Service Staff Correspondent

PARIS, Feb. 23.—American armies in western Europe opened a major offensive against Cologne and the Rhine today and within a few hours established three bridgeheads across the vital Roer river while plunging to the outskirts of Dueren, according to nervous German reports.

The German transradio agency said in a wireless dispatch:

"With the exception of the stretch of front which runs from Dueren to roughly south of the Schneifel, the whole west front from Cleve to Saarburg is on the move in a uniform operation with the strongest forces of men and material so far ever thrown in by the British and Americans."

Under cover of a shattering artillery and air barrage, the U. S. Ninth and First armies opened bridgeheads across the Roer at Gevenich, Selgersdorf and Birkendorf in the Linnich sector, the German DNB agency said. Simultaneously, other units slammed into the outlying streets of Dueren, one of the most important defense bastions in that entire sector, the agency added.

Supreme Allied headquarters announced only that the U. S. Third army made further gains in the salient northeast of Vianden, capturing four towns.

Overhead flew thousands of American and British warplanes which again gutted vast areas of the Reich from west and south, while to the east massive squadrons of the Red air force roared into action.

The German foreign office immediately warned that the reported opening of a west front offensive probably will be the signal for the resumption of a renewed full-scale Russian drive in the east. The Wilhelmshaven spokesman added lamely: "In any case, German leaders are expecting such a combined general attack."

Headquarters Silent

While Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower maintained silence, the Nazi increased their reports of the offensive's program almost hourly and in mid-afternoon asserted that a fresh drive is shaping up on the British-Canadian sector. Their reports of Roer river crossings hinted that Julich, which blocked the Allied drive in the winter months had been gravely threatened.

At 5:45 a. m., Berlin said, troops of the American Ninth Army under Lieut. Gen. William H. Simpson broke out from their positions 30 miles west of Cologne and attempted a major crossing of the flooded Roer river both north and south of Linnich.

Huge infantry detachments supported by paratroop attacks.

German newspapers were quoted by the Berlin correspondent of the Stockholm Svenska Dagbladet as warning it is "not impossible" that an assault similar to that at Arnhem will be repeated "on German soil."

The alert consists of a continuous five-minute alarm by both church bells and sirens, the dispatch reported to the OWI, said.

REPORT DORIOT KILLED

LONDON, Feb. 23.—(INS)—Jacques Doriot, former French Communist leader who became the chief propagandist for the Nazi-led Vichy regime during the dark days of France, was killed in an Allied air raid on Germany the controlled DNB agency reported today.

TO INFORM VATICAN

VATICAN CITY, Feb. 23.—(INS)—Official Vatican sources announced today that Archbishop Francis J. Spellman of New York soon will visit Pope Pius XII to inform the pontiff of the Yalta decisions, particularly as they regard Poland.

Notable Wedding Anniversary Is Observed In South

Former New Castle Couple Married For 60 Years; Now At St. Petersburg

By JAMES P. CALDWELL

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., Feb. 21.—Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Smith, who for 37 years resided on Wallace Avenue, New Castle, celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary here on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Smith moved to Philadelphia, where Mr. Smith retired as ticket receiver for the Pennsylvania railroad 14 years ago. They have been spending their winters in St. Petersburg ever since. Both are enjoying fairly good health and can be found most any day out sunning themselves on the green benches.

With their feet under the same table for 60 years, they have learned to call each other by their first names. Mrs. Smith knows how her husband likes his eggs boiled or scrambled, and Mr. Smith can pass the applesauce in a way that always delights his better half. In other words, both Mr. and Mrs. Smith agree that their long married life has been harmonious and happy.

They have three daughters: Mrs. Edward M. Griffith of New Waterford, O.; Mrs. J. F. Gordon, Mt. Lebanon, Pittsburgh, and Miss Elizabeth L. Smith, who is at their home in Philadelphia.

Hold Two For Theft Of Auto

Robert Tomlinson, 17, English Avenue, R. D. 2, and Dorsey Kline, 15, 349 Neshannock Avenue, were held today at city police headquarters charged with the theft and wrecking of an auto owned by G. J. McKeon, Tyrone, R. D. 3. They were caught by police of Youngstown in that city last night and returned here by New Castle police.

The front of the car and also the frame were damaged when the car struck the North street bridge February 20, police report.

HANDOUTS FOR DEER

OURAY, Colo.—(INS)—It all started when Sim Noel threw out a few bundles of hay for four hunting deer hanging around his farm during winter. Word got around among the deer population for now Noel is feeding as many as 20 when snow is on the ground.

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MARINES TAKE VITAL HEIGHT IN IWO JIMA BATTLE

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the height was theirs. However, in the meantime, some of the bloodiest fighting of the entire Pacific war had taken place, with at least 5,372 American casualties recorded up to 6 p.m., Wednesday.

Japs Jump To Death

In an effort to check the dauntless Americans who braved torrential rains and furious enemy fire while inching up Suribachi, the fanatic Japs hurled hand-grenades and "demolition charges" down upon the Yanks. Some of the Jap garrison chose death by jumping from the towering cliffs.

Capture of Suribachi broke a 48-hour stalemate and placed the Americans in position to turn the tables on the enemy, who had bolstered their defense with well-placed fire from artillery, mortars and machine guns which could rake the entire island from Suribachi.

With the top of Suribachi in American hands, the Leathernecks immediately set about the slow process of digging out what Japs remained in pillboxes and caves on the slopes and cliffs of the volcano. Though there may be many Japs in and around the mountain, effectiveness of their operations will be hampered by presence of the Americans in the crater.

Move Toward Airdrome

Meanwhile, the Yanks driving of Minami moved cautiously toward that drome which is situated in the center of Iwo. They met at least two fierce enemy counter-attacks and headquarters declared that they made "only slight gains" in their two-pronged assault which was forcing a pincers upon the field.

Sixteen-inch rifles of American battleships, together with guns of cruisers and destroyers also standing offshore, supported the Yanks advancing on the airfield.

The Japanese counterattack against the left wing of the American front was repulsed, but the earlier Nimitz' communiqué declared:

"No reports were available on the action on the right."

In addition to the warships of the 60-ship convoy from which the Yanks landed carrier-based aircraft continued to lash the Jap garrison, with the result that headquarters announced 1,222 enemy dead have been counted in U. S.-occupied territory. Undoubtedly the actual enemy losses are much higher.

Breaking down the estimate of 5,372 casualties announced up to Wednesday evening, Nimitz' communiqué said they included 644 killed, 4,168 wounded and 360 missing.

U. S. TROOPS IN ITALY CAPTURE MOUNTAIN PEAKS

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cooperation with Allied planes sweeping wide areas of the Reich from bases in England and France.

Hammer Rail Yards

Heavy bombers struck 32 rail yards in addition to other targets, while fighters strafed locomotives and other transport in Germany and medium bombers blasted bridges on the Brenner route. Fighters and fighter-bombers concentrated in "great strength" on northern Italy railways and bridges.

Twenty-three aircraft failed to return from the MAAF's more than 2,500 sorties.

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RUSSIAN FORCES SMASH ACROSS NEISSE RIVER

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men killed and 350,000 captured in the 40 days of the Red winter offensive.

Huge Nazi Casualties

Premier Joseph Stalin's announcement that enemy casualties totaled 111,000 during January and February commemorated the 27th anniversary of the Red army. He predicted that "full victory over the Germans is near."

In East Prussia, fierce fighting raged near the encircled Junkers capital of Königsberg, where Red troops yielded some ground to German counter-attacks at the northern shores of the Gulf of Königsberg.

As German forces in Königsberg battled to break through for a junction with Wehrmacht units at the western end of the Samland peninsula, the stronghold town of Zinten, 21 miles south of the capital, fell to the Soviets after fierce street fighting in which 4,000 German officers and men were wiped out.

Storm Across River

Storming across the river Stradivari and through pillbox and anti-tank defenses, the Soviets destroyed 41 tanks, 10 armored troops carriers and 60 guns in their capture of the town.

While Marshal Ivan S. Konev's First Ukrainian army outflanked the Nazi defense bastion of Gubben from the south in its smash to the Neisse, unofficial Moscow reports placed his forces across the water barrier at some points. Gubben is 51 miles southeast of Berlin.

North of Gubben, Konev's troops smashed forward ten miles to the confluence of the Neisse and Oder rivers, 49 miles southeast of Berlin.

To the south of his wide front stretching through Brandenburg and Silesia, other spearheads drove to within 56 miles of Dresden, capital of Saxony.

German Forrestaled

The Moscow radio announced that Konev's drive toward Cottbus, which overran 60 Brandenburg province localities, "took from the Germans an area from which the German high command planned flanking attacks" against Marshal Georgy Zhukov's First White Russian army massed for a frontal assault on Berlin.

Far behind Zhukov's lines along the Oder, fierce fighting continued for the annihilation of the German garrison of encircled Poznan, in Poland, which Swiss radio reports said already has been captured by the Soviets.

Four more suburbs of Breslau, embattled and flaming Silesian capital, fell to Russian assault troops as the Soviet high command announced the Red Air Force touched off towering fires in the Czechoslovak town of Bratislava.

Thieves Rob Cars Service Station

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Service station and auto thieves have been active here during the past several nights. One car was stolen and wrecked, two cars were entered and a service station robbed of gas stamps and a radio, according to police.

Dr. S. Myer, Castleton hotel, said someone stole a gas coupon from the glove compartment of his auto parked near the hotel last night and D. G. Renfrew, 304 East street reported his car was rifled of gas stamps while parked at the Jameson Memorial hospital.

Amoco gas service station, in East street was robbed of a Philco radio and stamps which had been accepted for approximately \$300 worth of gasoline.

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Deaths of the Day

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Miss Pitzer Funeral

Funeral services for Miss Myrtle L. Pitzer, daughter of George E. Pitzer and Annie Simonson Pitzer, 105 North Beaver street, were conducted Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the R. L. Boyd funeral home, North Jefferson street, with Rev. G. R. D. Braun of Epworth Methodist church officiating.

M. V. Hyde, Willard Matthews, Albert Shoaff, Willard Hood, Reed Pitzer and Louis McKee acted as pallbearers.

Interment took place in Castle View Burial Park.

Mrs. Stauffer Funeral

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary (Minnie) King Stauffer, wife of Robert Stauffer of Little Beaver township, were conducted Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the late residence, with Rev. W. J. Engle of the Enon Presbyterian church officiating.

Nazi radios warned the armada's spearheads already were over Leipzig and Plauen in the Saxony area where the rear formations were drowsing high over the Zuider Zee, more than 300 miles to the west.

Over 8,000 Sorties

Supreme allied headquarters described yesterday's assault from the sky as a "very heavy and widespread attack (upon) the enemy's communications system." Some 8,000 sorties were flown, spokesman announced, and observers declared that the total number of planes in operation may have reached the 9,000 mark.

Out of these great formations, 34 bombers and 40 fighters were lost, a total of 74 planes. Included were eight heavy bombers, five mediums and 21 light bombers.

Thirty-nine German planes were shot down and 24 destroyed on the ground, for a total enemy loss of 63 aircraft.

Today's German radio warnings, after telling of the 300-mile long sky train, cautioned the homeland that additional formations were pouring in from the south through the Styria and Carinthia areas.

Eighth Straight Day

Marking the 11th straight day of the latest unbroken cycle of allied aerial bombardment, German air raid warning transmitters reported waves of bombers in operation over the Hannover, Cologne and Muenster areas.

The German radio said formations still were soaring in over the Reich. One force heading for Germany from over the Zuider Zee stretched eastward for over 100 miles. Berlin said.

The gigantic aerial onslaught which saw up to 7,000 heavy, medium and light bombers and fighters rock Germany by daylight yesterday was followed up during the night with a fresh Mosquito bomber assault on Berlin.

Weather Good

The attacks in perfect summer-like weather constituted the greatest mass air assault conducted by the allies so far in the war. Planes from seven different commands, in England, western Europe and the Mediterranean, participated in the missions aimed directly at crippling the entire German railroad system.

Conservative estimates were that all told, 7,000 heavy and medium bombers dropped at least 14,000 American tons on targets over a 38,000 square mile area of the Reich. Accompanying fighter planes at the same time pounced tens of thousands of rockets into locomotives, railroad cars, trucks, oil tanks and grounded German planes.

American eighth air force heavy bombers yesterday hammered at least 30 targets and at least 24 large railroad marshalling yards were included in the objectives.

First-Ninth Strike

Then, with the Nazis compelled to cut into their thinly-held lines for purposes of reinforcement, the First and Ninth armies struck out, crossing the river barrier in front of them under a merciless avalanche of artillery fire. The Germans reported that between 60,000 and 100,000 shells were fired at them in the space of a few hours prior to launching of the attack.

When General Eisenhower confirms the German announcements,

REELING GERMANY AGAIN BATTERED BY HUGE AIR ARMADA

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head the assault, teamed with giant formations which flew over the Reich from the south. For bomb-weary Germany, still reeling from yesterday's record assault by possibly 9,000 planes, it was the 11th straight day of two-way attack.

Offensive Before Cologne

German radios, stuttering and chattering as they told of the bombers' approach, asserted simultaneously that allied armies before Cologne opened their offensive early this morning after a terrific artillery barrage.

Hour after hour the radios started with warnings of bomber trains and their fighter escort's swooping in from two directions.

Enemy announcers said the planes were strung out over Saxony, the northwestern and central sections of the Reich and the approaches to Germany from the south.

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BESSEMER WOMAN'S CLUB PROGRAM, FEB. 27

Bessemer Woman's club have plans completed for "guest night" which will be observed at their meeting on Tuesday evening, February 27, in Bessemer Presbyterian church, at 8 o'clock.

An interesting and well balanced program has been arranged by Mrs. Wilbur F. Miller, chairman. She has invited as guest artist, Samuel Badal of Lovellville, Ohio, a musician of prominence in the Ohio area, who will give an organ recital.

In addition, Miss Mary Vandiver of this city, will be heard in a reviewing of the book "Anna and the King of Siam."

A social time with refreshments will follow, with Mrs. Paul Kanenberger and her committee, in charge.

CATHEDRAL CHAPTER PARTY-RECEPTION

Cathedral Chapter No. 440, Order of the Eastern Star, held a successful event Tuesday night in the dining room of the Scottish Rite Cathedral, marking their annual birthday party, family night and paid-up-dues dinner. The occasion was also in the nature of a reception, honoring the 34 new members received into the chapter during the past year by Worthy Matron, Mrs. Nell Hewitt.

At 6:15 a sumptuous banquet prepared by Mrs. Della Sanford and Mrs. Lillian White was served at tables prettily appointed in the season's motif. Dining room committee composed of Mrs. Edith Ross, Mrs. Grace Black and Mrs. Edna Hartland. At intervals throughout, Mrs. Leora Walter conducted pep singing.

The invocation was offered by Mrs. Julia Conover.

For the program following, little Carol West delighted with a vocal selection, and Mrs. Selma Reneker contributed a selected reading.

New members as special guests were introduced by Mrs. Hewitt later in the evening, when she presented each with a personal gift.

Honor guests of the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. George Weddell, the latter who is district deputy grand matron of District 2-B, Order of the Eastern Star.

Leisure time that ensued was given to a variety of games and contests.

Final initiation of the chapter's year will be conducted at their next meeting, February 27, in the East Lodge room of The Cathedral.

Harmon-Brady Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. J. Gaylord Harmon of R. D. 2, Enion Valley, Pennsylvania, announce the marriage of their daughter, Janice Marie, to Robert V. Brady, United States Army Air Corps, son of Vance Brady of Petersburg, Ohio.

The Rev. Mr. Surbey of the Petersburg Lutheran church and the Rev. Mr. Holliday of the Petersburg Presbyterian church officiated at the double ring ceremony. Vows were exchanged in the bride's home at 8:30 on Friday, February 9, before a background of palms.

Miss Edie Gayle Harmon, was her sister's maid of honor.

James E. Brady, the groom's brother, served as best man. Wedding music, including the traditional wedding march, was played by Mrs. James E. Brady.

After the ceremony, the bride's parents welcomed relatives and a few intimate friends at a reception, served by members of the bride's Sunday school class.

The couple are residing at Denver, Colorado, near Lowry Field, where the groom is stationed.

Agnes Schade Society

Agnes Schade Missionary society of St. Paul's Lutheran church held its February meeting at the home of Mrs. Joe Roth Harlanburg road, on Thursday evening.

As the program feature, Miss Clara Schuller reviewed the book "Sermon on the Mount" by Emmet Fox. Later a lunch was served.

Next meeting, March 22, will be at the home of Mrs. John Bender, 831 Croton avenue.

Section D. Y. L. B.

Section D of the Y. L. B. class of the Third U. P. church met Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Mattie Badger, 937 Adams street for its February meeting. Devotions were led by Mrs. Badger.

In serving lunch, the hostess was aided by her daughter, Mrs. Frank Davis, and grandmother, Mrs. Mary Ann Davis.

57 RECIPE

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PARTY AT CASTLETON FOR STUDENT NURSES

Honoring student nurses of Jamestown hospital who are graduating with the February and September classes, members of the Jamestown-Shenango Alumnae association entertained informally at a party on Thursday evening, in the Castleton. Students sharing honors numbered 29, and the entire guest list totaled 60 who participated in festivities. Cards and other table contests featured the early hours. A door trophy was awarded Mrs. Shirley Shepard.

During the evening, impromptu remarks were made. Special greetings and an encouraging message was given by Miss Helen Allen, president of Jamestown-Shenango Alumnae, in behalf of her associates to their student sisters about to graduate. Another appropriate message was given by Lieut. Elizabeth Kendall of the U. S. Army, home after two years overseas duty. She congratulated the students on their work and their choice of profession, so greatly in need.

Miss Prudence Appleman, director of nurses of Jameston hospital was a special guest of the occasion. Tasty refreshments were served at the close.

MATIS-SILLMAN

WEDDING THURSDAY

Miss Edell Matis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Matis, 111 Scott street, and Lieut. Arthur Sillman, son of Charles Sillman of Pittsburgh, were united in marriage at an impressive ceremony quietly performed Thursday morning, Feb. 22, in Highland U. P. church of this city.

Dr. D. L. Ferguson, pastor, officiated at 10 o'clock, using the double ringing service.

The bride was attractive, wearing an American Beauty red suit with chartreuse and black accessories. Her shoulder corsage was of orchids.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Frampton, of New Castle, were their only attendants, the latter donning a beige suit, complemented with a shoulder bouquet of orchids.

A reception for intimate friends followed at the home of the bride's mother, after which Lieut. and Mrs. Sillman left for Asheville, N. C., where he will be stationed. Upon receiving his reassignment Mrs. Sillman will return here to reside with her parents for the present.

The bride is affiliated in the offices of United Engineering here. Lieut. Sillman, who has been in the U. S. armed forces for the past three years, recently returned from the Southwest Pacific area.

: Willing Workers Class

Willing Workers class of the First Congregational church was entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Fowler, Waldo street, at 7:30 Thursday evening for the February meeting.

Devotions were led by Mrs. Dan Richards, who also presided. Prizes for games were awarded Mrs. John Coulquitt and Mrs. Rachel Long. Table decorations were appropriate to the holiday, and a delightful repast was served, with Miss Betty Fowler and Mrs. Dan Hughes assisting.

March meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Dan Hughes, Waldo street.

J. F. F. Club Meeting

Mrs. Loretta Todd was a pleasing hostess to J. F. F. club members at a suburban tea room on Thursday evening, the usual period of card playing being a feature.

For honors Mrs. Edward F. Hite, Mrs. James Kearns and Mrs. Harold McCarty were prize winners, the latter receiving the traveling trophy. Special guests, Mrs. Norman Travers and Mrs. Herbert Horland were recipients of hostess mementos.

After being served a tasty repast, plans were made to meet again on March 8 with Mrs. Edward F. Hite, East Sheridan avenue.

Later card playing was the main pastime, high score prizes going to

Flannery Class

Members of the Flannery class of Highland U. P. church were entertained Thursday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John O. Huston of Moody avenue.

A period of games, supervised by Mr. and Mrs. James Myles and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Phillips, was enjoyed.

Later refreshments were served by the hostess, aided by Mrs. James Lutton, co-hostess.

Next meeting will be March 22 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Campbell Wilson, of Delaware avenue.

Honor Twelfth Birthday

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fair, of Electric street, were hosts Tuesday evening at a party in honor of the twelfth birthday of their daughter, Sylvia.

Games were a diversion, with prizes being awarded to Clara Colia, and Rose Marie Alteri, Victoria Pagley received the door prize.

A birthday cake centered the table. Mrs. Fair was assisted in serving refreshments by her sister, Miss Melvin Parfilio.

Many lovely gifts were presented to the honoree.

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G. N. ANNIVERSARY OBSERVED BY GROUP

G. N. club members observed their 13th anniversary Thursday evening when members gathered in their club rooms, South Mill street, with husbands as invited guests.

Mrs. Floyd Semione presented a corsage to Mrs. John Volpe, the president, and she responded graciously. The door prize was captured by Mrs. Joseph Sansoni.

A full course chicken dinner was served at a later hour by Mrs. Clotilda Ross, Mrs. Floyd Semione and Mrs. John Volpe. The table was nicely decorated in St. Patrick's colors.

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At Mexico City

Relations of the United States with her sister republics in the Western Hemisphere have generally been so harmonious before and during the war that there may be a tendency to underestimate the significance of the gathering which has begun its sessions at Mexico City. Americans may even take it for granted that the Inter-American conference on problems of war and peace will be a success.

The fact is that the conference will decide questions of great importance, assuming that there is agreement among the delegates. Moreover, it is not a foregone conclusion that there will be complete accord on all the issues confronting the conference.

Obviously, the sympathetic support of Latin American countries is necessary if the United States is to occupy an influential position at the conference on the proposed international security organization that has been set for April 25 at San Francisco. If hostility to the plan develops at Mexico City, the chances for getting wider approval later will be considerably compromised.

It is true that the Dumbarton Oaks proposals have been sympathetically received on the whole, by the Latin American republics. But it is no secret that they are deeply concerned over their own economic future in the postwar period. They will want assurances from the United States that this nation is prepared to recognize their need for markets and credits when the demand for war materials tapers off.

To complicate the situation still further, something must be done about the Argentine problem. Many Latin American statesmen are eager to find a solution to that difficulty. So it is not an easy task that Secretary of State Stettinius must assume and his capacity for tact and skill will be tested to the utmost.

Taxes And The Debt

In his annual report to Congress just made public, Secretary Morgenthau advocates selective tax reductions in the postwar period to encourage business activity. Adjustments, he said, are "essential to the realization of full employment in a peace-time economy of free enterprise and competition."

This is the first time Morgenthau has placed himself on record as favoring lower taxes after the war. The report is noteworthy for that reason, even though he stressed his warning that little or no reduction in taxes can be expected until cessation of major hostilities on all fronts. On that basis the burden will not be lightened before the defeat of Japan.

The fiscal problem, moreover, as the report points out, is not simple. Morgenthau is right in observing that it would be a mistake to overlook the possible continuance of inflationary pressures into the transition and immediate postwar periods. He is even more sound in noting that too great a delay might have an adverse effect on employment and business.

Morgenthau's discussion of the public debt treats that subject with a nonchalance the facts do not warrant. Though he calls the burden "a real one," he says that it should be "the major object of fiscal policy in the postwar period to reduce the amount of the debt as far as compatible with maintenance of full employment."

So Morgenthau is ready for more deficit financing not merely to combat the effects of a depression or to fight the war, but to keep employment at some arbitrary level.

Arrowhead Men

With the exception of small boys, whose memory on such things approaches the miraculous, ordinary civilians have some difficulty in keeping straight the rather rainbow display of service ribbons which this war has produced. But there is one new award which the War department has just authorized which no person should have trouble remembering.

This is a small, bronze, Indian arrowhead which will soon be appearing on theater service ribbons on Army breasts. This new badge of honor means just what it says. It is a sign that the man who wears it was in the arrowhead of an attack, that he led an invasion by sea or air against soil held by the enemy.

They are a special band of heroes and it seems only just that they should have the right to wear a special badge. Their ranks include the men who braved murderous enemy fire to storm the beaches of Tarawa and a dozen other Pacific atolls and islands. In this elite band are the troops who made up the first assault waves in Normandy and Sicily, and the heroic paratroopers of Nijmegen and Arnhem.

May the nation never forget that the men who wear the arrowhead are the men who led the way, who braved the unknown first so that their fighting comrades could follow after.

Philippines Sugar

One result of the Philippines campaign which may be felt in the United States this year is improvement of the sugar supply. Washington officials hope for 500,000 tons or more of Philippines sugar this year. The sugar will be available if shipping can be found to transport it.

There was a large amount of raw sugar on hand in the Philippines when they were seized by Japan in 1942. The enemy has used a little sugar since then in making industrial alcohol but otherwise the stocks are intact. Negros Island, which produces approximately two-thirds of Philippines sugar, has been seized by guerrillas with little property damage. Small damage is also reported from the Luzon sugar area, second largest producer.

This large supply of sugar will improve the present tight supply situation in the United States and give this nation a better position in bargaining with Cuba on future sugar prices. It also puts in the hands of the Filipinos a ready asset to use in purchasing imports of which the archipelago is in dire need.

Berchtesgaden Under Fire

It's something of a relief to know that fliers of the United States 12th Air Force have at last given the town of Berchtesgaden a treatment with their rocket-firing Thunderbolts. Not that picturesque Berchtesgaden rated the attack through any fault of its own; but it happens to be the scene of Hitler's Bavarian home. His hideout, Obersalzberg, is on the edge of the town and his fabulous mountaintop eyrie nearby.

But Berchtesgaden also happens to be a military target because of the stream of rail traffic passing through the town, suggesting that the Nazis are rushing arms and supplies to southern Germany for a last stand. Any Allied move to cancel out such preparations is good.

Symbolically, also, the attack on Berchtesgaden has meaning. Since the time of Neville Chamberlain the name Berchtesgaden has stood for appeasement and for defeatism; for Nazi guile and evil. It is high time that Hitler's Bavarian retreat feels allied blows, even though the Fuehrer, for the moment, may escape them.

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Daily Report, Erich Brandeis

WASHINGTON CALLING

by MARQUIS CHILDS

Huge Supply Lines At Front Amazing

U. S. NINTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS. In Holland: Feb. 23—One's first close-up glimpse of this war is bound to be a surprise and shock. First of all, you are not prepared for the enormous complexity of even a small section of the front. The preconceived picture you have of lines and advances is dimmed out in the face of the mass movement that seems to be going on in all directions at once.

Apart from the GI himself and his easy, good-natured self-discipline which makes you enormously proud of being an American, the thing that has impressed me most in my brief stay up here is the scale and diversity of transport on the road leading toward the front. It looks like a cross between a pre-war week-end traffic jam and the kind of industrial upheaval that would result if you were to try to move half of Pittsburgh a hundred miles by motor transport over putrid broken roads.

In less than 15 minutes on a highway to the front in Germany, I counted 33 different kinds of vehicles carrying men or guns or supplies carrying men or guns or supplies to the fighting.

The men driving the mud-splattered vehicles that make up this unending stream look as though they were moulded into the drivers' seats a part of the machine itself. Their set, weary faces, many grimy and unshaven, are seen briefly in the high truck cabs as our jeep swings past.

It is one of the monotonous, boring, wearing jobs of the war, this pushing of transport back and forth over broken, mity roads. The drivers must even change places with the GI road gangs working whilst deep in mud and water trying to patch the worst holes.

The driver of our jeep, Pvt. Herman E. Smith of Washington, D. C., is fairly typical. He has been in the European theater, attached to a tactical air force, for 18 months. For 18 months, seven days a week, he has sat behind the wheel of a jeep or staff car and he's damned sick of it.

For one thing, it has become, apart from highway hazards, such a safe job. Thanks to the work of the Ninth Air Force, the German Luftwaffe is almost never seen over the American lines. The monotony of a driver's job is nowadays rarely broken by enemy strafing.

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**Censure For
Congressmen In
Fight Planned**

**Two Democratic Congressmen Come
To Blows In Session Of Body
On Thursday**

**By WILLIAM THEIS
(L.N.S. Staff Correspondent)**
WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—Resolutions of censure were poised for immediate introduction today against two members of the turmoil-ridden House who came to blows over a mixed issue of Communism and racial discrimination.

Friends of Rep. John Rankin (D-Miss.) who attacked Rep. Frank Hook (D-Mich.) for calling him a "dirty liar" said they would seek a vote of censure against the Michigan member. Hook's friends countered with a warning that "if they go after Hook, we'll go after Rankin."

Between the two factions, the House leadership was working hard to head off any formal action and harmonize the bitter feelings unleashed in the brawl by having both men apologize to the House.

First Since 1942

Strangely enough, the brief but furious encounter between the frail, 62-year-old Rankin and Hook, who is 52, weight 195 pounds and once was a lumberjack, was the third congressional "battle" to occur on Washington's birthday. It was the first exchange of blows on the House floor since 1942.

Behind the exchange was a record of almost daily verbal attacks over the influence of the CIO, Communism and the problem of anti-racial discrimination between "conservatives" led by Rankin and "liberals" headed by Hook and others.

So intense was feeling over the incident immediately after order was restored that "conservative" spokesmen launched a movement for Hook's expulsion. Under leadership pressure for sober judgment and unity, this was modified to a demand for Hook's censure by the speaker—which the House must authorize by majority vote.

SUPER SLEUTHS

SALEM, Ore.—(INS)—Oregon legislators looking for missing papers or members can now ask a committee for help. An unprecedented committee on lost papers and members was solemnly appointed by Speaker Eugene Marsh at the beginning of the session.

**THE PARENT
PROBLEM**
(Continued From Page Four)

**Natives Adopt
'Hubba, Hubba'**

the sort to be graded or tested at school. If required, it surely should not consume over half an hour an evening. Parents who are able and willing to cooperate with the school might, as a rule, do well to induce the child above the third grade to cultivate at home the habit of reading these from some interesting materials, easy enough to read with pleasurable success; or practice on some skills as in the fundamentals of arithmetic and spelling, in case the child lagged in these subjects. Good habits of brief daily mental exercise while in the grades should be good preparation for more formal, serious homework, later, in high school.

"Hubba-Hubba" call the natives when an American soldier passes. The catchy phrase, peculiarly adapted to the sing-song New Guinea dialect, can be traced back to the New York University where the players used to chant to pep each other up on the football field.

Tall rugged Captain Bob Connolly of 95 Myrtle boulevard, Larchmont, N.Y., a former football star at the New York university and later line coach at the same institution, brought the "Hubba-Hubba" call to New Guinea.

As a company commander of a rifle company he adopted the war cry as a trademark for his rough and tumble outfit. He's now been elevated to battalion executive of a veteran infantry division, but his boys still use the catchy call.

A short time ago Capt. Connolly went out on a patrol with his old gang. They ran into some Japs in the jungle and a guerrilla skirmish followed. The boys shouted the well known "Hubba-Hubba" as they put the Nips to rout.

Native carriers who accompanied the patrol were much impressed by the phrase and its success in gearing the boys to a quick victory. They returned to their villages and now the collegiate war cry of New York university has become the chant of the jungle.

**Germany Drafting
Young Boys, Girls**

LONDON, Feb. 23.—The Germans conscripted some of their school children today—boys to dig trenches and fight, and girls for auxiliary services—as their military commentators warned that a Russian frontal assault on Berlin was imminent.

The German official news agency DNB announced that the German equivalent of boy and girl scouts had been taken out of school for war service. The Bund Deutscher Maedel (Hitler girls' organization) has been split up in small units which will be employed wherever necessary—in signal units or supply depots or nursing services—wherever gauleiters (provincial governors) order," the agency said.

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**Pittsburgh Index
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PITTSBURGH, Feb. 23.—(INS)—A pronounced gain in originating freight shipments and a substantial increase in industrial production boosted the index of business in the Pittsburgh district nearly five points last week, the Bureau of Business Research, University of Pittsburgh, today reported.

The bureau's seasonally adjusted

index of business last week stood at 172.4 per cent of the 1935-39 average; it was 161.8 on February 3 and 173.3 as of February 19, a year ago, the research group said. Steel operations in the district last week were the best since mid-January; bituminous coal production was the highest in four weeks; electric power production reflected the usual seasonal increase, and no change was reported in the number of active blast furnaces, the bureau stated.

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**MAN FOUND DEAD
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TIDIOTE, Pa., Feb. 23.—(INS)—Warren County Coroner Ed C. Lowery today was investigating the death of John W. Brown, 70, lifelong resident of Tidiote, whose body was discovered in his car parked in front of a store.

Brown had mentioned plans for going into Warren, it was reported, but was noticed seated in his car long after he left the store. A passing friend discovered Brown was dead.

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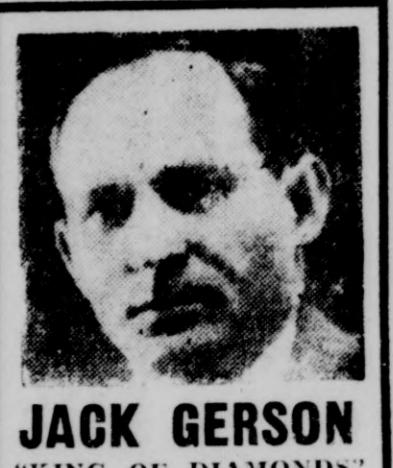
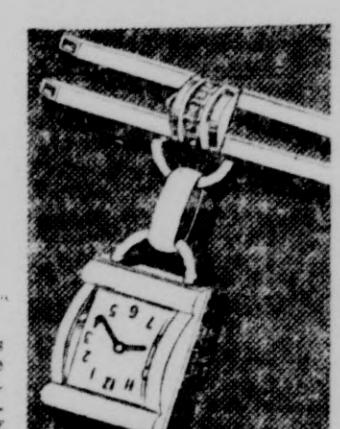
NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—(INS)—Willie Mosconi, pocket billiard champ, held a still greater lead over challenger Ralph Greenleaf today in their cross-country championship series after taking both of yesterday's blocks.

Mosconi won the afternoon game, 125-39 in nine innings and also scored last night, 125-19 in seven innings. The score now: Mosconi 4,998, Greenleaf 3,568.

**FUNERAL HELD FOR
FINANCIER TODAY**
PITTSBURGH, Feb. 23.—(INS)—Funeral services were held today in Sewickley for Ralph S. "Dick" Richards, 64, senior member of the brokerage firm of Kay Richards and Company and former president of the Pittsburgh Stock Exchange. Once a member of the board of directors of the New York Stock Exchange, Richards had been ill for two weeks prior to his death on Tuesday. He is survived by his wife, a daughter and two sons.

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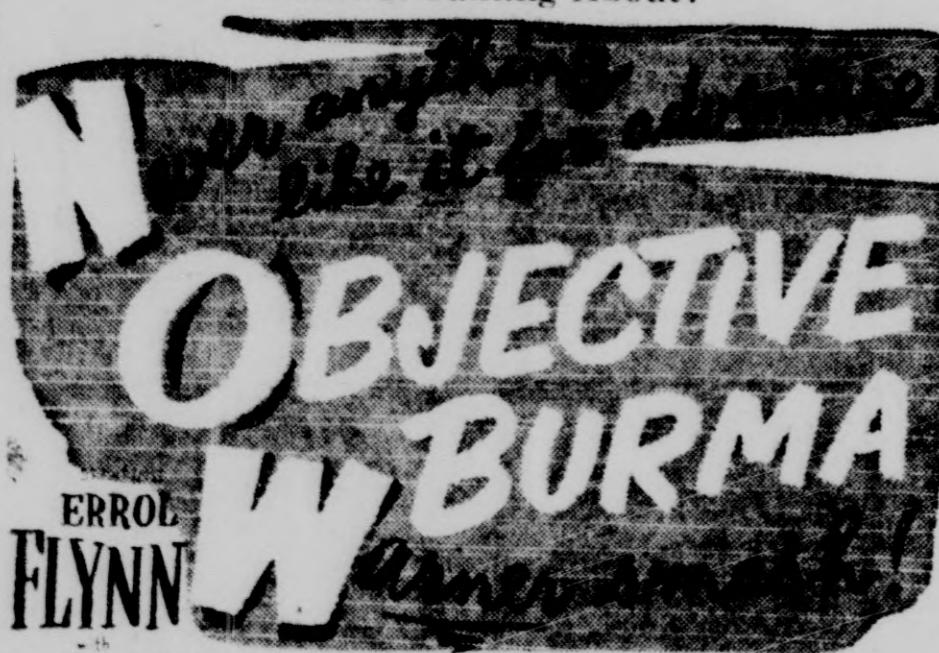
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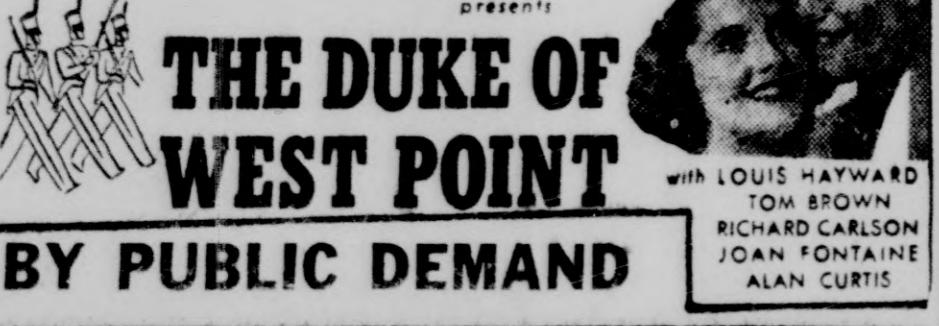


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On a recent evening, Mrs. Mary Lewis of North Shenango street entertained relatives at a shower for Miss Charlotte Conway, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Conway of Martins Ferry, O., former residents of Euclid avenue, this city.

During an informal social evening with games as a diversion, the bride-to-be was showered with many lovely gifts.

At a later hour a dainty lunch was served, the hostess being assisted by Mrs. James A. Thompson and Mrs. John R. Ellison.

The engagement was revealed of Miss Conway and Cadet Charles C. Lewis, U. S. N. R., and will terminate in an early spring wedding.

Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. R. Ellison and family of Butler and Mr. and Mrs. John Herold of Prospect.

SECTION THREE HOLDS LUNCHEON

Section Three of the Women's Missionary society of the First Baptist church held a Washington's Birthday luncheon at the church when both decorations and menu were carried out in keeping with the day. Mrs. S. J. Callahan and Mrs. J. Q. L. Roberts were hostesses.

An illustrated map talk, "West of the Date Line" was given by Mrs. Peter P. Weirick. Devotional services were in charge of Mrs. Callahan.

Engagement Told

Mrs. and Mrs. Nick Carran, of R. D. 7, Mahoningtown, announce the engagement of their daughter, Gloria Carran, and Joe Genareo, seaman 1-c.

Seaman Genare, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Genareo, of 1230 Robinson lane, recently arrived home on 20-day leave after completing six weeks' training for the marine corps at San Bruno and Camp Shoemaker in California.

Before transfer to the marine corps he had been in navy service for two years with 14 months overseas in three theaters of war.

Miss Carran is employed at the Shenango Pottery.

Happy Group Club

Mrs. Nick Battista, South Mercer street, received the Happy Group club Thursday evening in her home.

Mrs. Angelo Frediani captured the club token, and an informal time followed.

The hostess was aided by her mother, Mrs. Philip Bordonaro, in serving dainty refreshments. Special guest was Mrs. Fred Cepro.

March 8 is the meeting with Mrs. Joseph Bordonaro, Jr., Northview avenue.

G. W. C. Club

Delightful hospitality was extended by G. W. C. club members Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. J. H. Holler, Milton street, with her sister, Mrs. Marjorie O'Toole, of Washington, D. C., sharing as a special guest.

Informal pastimes were enjoyed, and a delectable repast served with Mrs. Joe McGaffie aiding.

In two weeks Mrs. Joe McGaffie will be hostess at the home of Mrs. Mary Scott, Wright apartments, East Washington street.

E. L. V. Club Luncheon

Members of the E. L. V. club were luncheon guests Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Joseph Reiber, 2 East Moody avenue.

In the three-table game of cards that followed the serving at 1 o'clock, prizes were awarded to Mrs. C. P. Herman, Mrs. J. P. Waiters and Mrs. Thomas McComb.

March 1, the membership will meet in the Elks club.

Good Neighbors Meet

Good Neighbors club was entertained by Mrs. Fred Bussey, English avenue, on Wednesday afternoon.

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KING'S DAUGHTERS' HOLIDAY LUNCHEON

King's Daughters' Bible class of the First Methodist church met at the home of Mrs. Jesse N. Kerr, Lincoln avenue, for a Washington's birthday luncheon. Assisting the hostess were Mrs. Thomas A. Myers, Mrs. Clarence W. Irwin and Mrs. Charles W. Marks.

Following luncheon Mrs. S. M. Bearic, president of the class, called on Mrs. Marks, who led the devotional period. Mrs. Harry Ward, chairman of the nominating committee, presented a slate of candidates to be elected at the March meeting.

On the program, Mrs. William R. Wallace, Mrs. T. A. Patterson and Mrs. Emma Buxton gave readings. The class will meet again on March 15.

WINONA AUXILIARY TO HAVE PAGEANT

Members of the Winona Auxiliary of the Bessemer Presbyterian church will present a pageant this evening, entitled, "Pageant of the Ages."

The presentation is open to the public, and afterwards refreshments will be served.

Mrs. John Hayes is chairman, and assisting are Mrs. Chandler McMillan and Mrs. Ralph Engle.

New Club Meets

On Thursday evening the newly organized Time Off club was entertained at the home of Mrs. Dorothy Weaver, Clayton street.

With 500 as the pastime prizes were won by Mrs. Albert Collingwood and Mrs. William Walloway. A lunch was served at the close of play.

On Tuesday evening, March 6, Mrs. Collingwood will be hostess at her home on Tempaleana avenue.

S. S. G. Club

S. S. G. club members met with Mrs. Carl Shearer, Finch street, Wednesday evening in her home.

An informal social period followed the serving.

Mrs. Charles Morgan was a special guest.

Next meeting, Thursday, March 29, will be with Mrs. Clyde Grannis, Court street.

D. D. D. Club Meets

D. D. D. club members were entertained Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. James M. Rae, Edgewood avenue.

Cards were in play as the pastime, with prizes going to Mrs. Sam Fray and Mrs. Ralph Dixon; also a remembrance to Mrs. Ralph Peterson, who was a special guest.

Later a Washington's Birthday buffet lunch was served.

Next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Herbert Ridgley, Scott street, March 8.

Y. M. M. Club

Mrs. Harry Hill, County Line street, entertained Y. M. M. club members in her home Thursday evening, with tables of 500 as the pastime. Prizes fell to Mrs. Clifford Roberts, Mrs. Harry Haggerty, Mrs. Hill and Mrs. Yoho.

In serving lunch, the hostess was aided by Mrs. Willis Boyd and Mrs. Yoho.

Plans were completed to meet March 19 with Mrs. William Patton County Line street.

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W. C. T. U.

County Executive Board

Lawrence county W. C. T. U. executive board met Thursday afternoon at the Y. W. C. A. with Mrs. Joseph Pringle presiding. Mrs. J. C. Pherson led the devotional period.

Regional meetings for 1945 in Pennsylvania have been cancelled and none will be held until 1946, it was announced.

As a substitute, plans for a county institute were discussed, but it was decided that this is not to replace local or group institutes. Miss Margaret Peebles, Plaingrove union, was named county chairman and will work in conjunction with Mrs. George Burrows, county institute director. Time and place of the institute will be announced later.

Locals are urged to organize and assist L. T. L.'s as the county is far below its quota in this department.

Reading of a poem, "Let Us Be Kind" by Mrs. Jack Kempler, and prayer by Mrs. John Caughey brought the meeting to a close.

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Cologne And Rhine Goal Of New Offensive

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by a formidable array of tanks participated in the "big push."

German forces which were instantly thrown in "aged the enemy in fierce fighting which is still going on," the German broadcasts said.

Break-Through Attempt

The initial Nazi announcements were followed by reports that British Field Marshal Sir Bernard L. Montgomery also had launched a new break-through attempt with an im-

mense "drumfire barrage."

"The fifth and biggest battle of Aachen has begun after a three-hour hurricane of fire from thousands of barrels," Transocean said.

"At 5:45 a.m. the Ninth Army under Gen. Simpson went over to the attack."

"Half a mile north of Linnich the Americans crossed over the Roer with tanks and south of the town they crossed over with infantry."

"American forces are advancing along the road leading to Dueren from the northwest of the town."

The Nazi DNB agency reported establishment of "several small bridgeheads" over the Roer between Linnich and Juelich and also told of heavy fighting in the whole area west of Cologne.

Enemy announcement of the new onslaught from the west came as the American Third Army forced a third crossing of the Saar river in the mounting drive on the fortified German supply base of Trier.

The offensive in the Roer sector was opened at 5:45 a.m. by American ground forces after the area of attack was battered by a drumfire barrage of thousands of guns from 2:45 a.m. on, the Germans said.

Bolstering the American units which stormed across the Saar at two points yesterday below Saarburg, troops of the 94th Division achieved a third crossing at a point two miles northeast of Saarburg.

Enter Ockenf

Spearsheads of the attacking 94 entered the German town of Ockenf. The advances of troops which scored the two previous crossings to threaten Trier from the south were reported in field dispatches to be going well.

Bitter house-to-house fighting was in progress in the town of Serrig where a small Nazi infantry counter-attack was beaten off by the American forces under command of Lieut. Gen. George S. Patton.

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Army assault front. Gen. Patton's men north of Echternach gained up to two miles and one half along a 15-mile long battle area. These forces captured five more towns and entered a sixth.

Troops of the 80th Division scored a fresh advance of a half mile to the north to a point five miles northeast of the liberated Luxembourg border town of Vianden.

Sixth Armored Division forces gained up to two and one half miles across a four-mile stretch, capturing three towns. All were in an area two and one half miles south to four miles east of captured Dusburg.

The German DNB agency, acknowledging the fall of Dusburg and Dahnem to the Americans, admitted that the successful Third Army action on the east bank of the Our river across from Luxembourg had driven a dangerous wedge into the German flank.

Capture Two Towns

The American 90th Division, attacking to the south of the Sixth Armored forces, gained a mile and one half to capture two towns, Holzschien and Lichtenborn, 10 and nine miles southwest of Pneum respectively.

German resistance in this sector was strong.

The distance separating the American 80th and 90th Divisions closing the enemy's bulge in the area was narrowed down to five and one half miles.

Field headquarters revealed that at least 1,922 German prisoners were taken by the Third Army yesterday, marking the third consecutive day that Gen. Patton's men have taken totals of more than 1,900 Nazis.

An attempt by a large German patrol to cross the Roer river on the American First Army front east of Schmidt was broken up by artillery headquarters revealed.

At the northern end of the battle line units of the Canadian First Army astride the Goch-Uedem railway maintained their positions against strong German reaction.

Seventh Army Advances

American Seventh Army forces battling toward Saarbrucken cut the main Forbach-Saarbrucken highway, maintaining their positions against strong German reaction.

The Seventh took heights giving them full observation of Saarbrucken.

With the clearing of the Nazis from the triangular area formed by the Saar and Moselle rivers, Third Army armored units struck ahead to points within four miles south of Trier.

Advanced units which forced crossings of the Saar river below Saarbrucken continued to move ahead, dispatches from the field said.

Advances of up to two miles were scored by the Americans who reached the junction of the Saar and Moselle rivers overlooking the German town of Konz.

A stretch of the Saar across a front of 25 miles was seized by the advancing Third Army armor and infantry forces.

After the first American elements stormed across the Saar in an early morning attack a second crossing was achieved two and one-half miles south of Saarburg against what was termed surprisingly light opposition.

Good progress was scored elsewhere all along an assault front of 55 miles with Gen. Patton's forces capturing six additional towns and entering still another.

At the northern end of the Third's assault front units of the American 80th Division beat off a counter-attack by German infantry supported by five tanks east of the Luxembourg border town of Vianden.

The width of the German salient between Pneum and Vianden was reduced by another mile with units of the attacking American 80th and 90th Divisions now only seven and one-half miles apart.

Attacking American Seventh Army forces heading back into the Germany Saar region continued locked in stiff fighting inside the town of Forbach, a few miles southwest of Saarbrucken, gaining control of two-thirds of the town.

At the northern end of the front units of the Canadian First Army seeking to turn the northern most tip of the Siegfried line before the Rhine captured the town of Mayland.

More High Octane Gasoline Plants To Be Constructed

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23—(INS)

Petroleum Administrator Harold L. Ickes announced today that increased Army and Navy demands for 100-octane aviation gasoline have caused PAW to schedule construction of five new plants and to study proposals for several more.

The plants now scheduled are one for the Texas company at Lockport, Ill.; two for the Standard Oil Co. of Indiana at Whiting, Ind., and Sugar Creek, Mo.; one for Leonard Refineries, Inc., at Alma, Mich., and one for the Shell Oil Co., at Houston, Texas.

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Since John Marshall decided that the Indians are not a sovereign people and they became wards of the government, about 4000 laws about the Indians have been passed by Congress but no provision has been made for assimilating them into citizenship.

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Other Reports

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Other reports given included one on national legislation by Miss Marguerite Uhl, social security by Mrs. W. A. Confer, state legislation by Mrs. Lyle Hughes, and city and county by Miss Margaret Brown.

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High-Alumina Clays May Be Used After Arkansas Bauxite Gives Out

By JAMES H. SMITH
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HARRISBURG, Feb. 23.—High alumina clays which abound in central Pennsylvania, may make the Keystone State America's number one source of aluminum, the department of internal affairs reported today.

"Until recently the production of metallic aluminum was almost entirely dependent upon bauxite reserves of which Pennsylvania has none," the department revealed in a report compiled by the state and Pennsylvania State College mineral industries school. The nation's bauxite reserves may be depleted by 1948, it was predicted.

"As the result of experiments dating mostly since 1941, high alumina clays averaging more than 35 percent alumina are now considered to be a potential, and probably a practical, commercial source of aluminum," the report said.

"The common clays are essentially hydrous aluminum silicates," it stated. "They have not been used extensively as aluminum ores because of the difficulty of breaking down the silicates and because no other material has been available in the bauxite ores which the United States produces in Arkansas and imports from foreign sources."

May Have Most In Nation

State geologist George H. Ashley said "it is possible that after the Arkansas bauxite is gone, we may

have more than any other state in the union."

He explained that the U. S. bureau of mines was experimenting with high-alumina clays as an aluminum source and pointed out that 1942 estimates showed the nation's bauxite reserves probably would not last more than three years.

Pennsylvania has a very large tonnage of high-alumina clays," the report said. "How many million tons may be depended upon is not known. These clays occur in quantity in Clearfield county and elsewhere in close association with the feldspar clays which supply the refractory industries."

In addition to Clearfield county, the report explained the clays were found to a "lesser extent" in Centre, Clinton, Jefferson, Cambria and Lycoming counties.

"Although a large percentage of all the clay in this large region is controlled by the operating refractories companies, there are many areas worthy of exploration which are not controlled by them," the report pointed out.

SOUVENIRS

ALIQUIPPA, Pa.—(INS)—Imagine the disconcertment of Corp. Joseph Ceroni when he ran a comb through his hair and struck metal!

Taking his problem to an army doctor at Asheville, N. C., where he was waiting reassignment, he learned a piece of shrapnel about the size of a pea had worked its way to the surface of his scalp. It was a souvenir of the battle of Kasserine Pass.

Planting of fruit trees, bushes and plants is again permissible in England, it is announced by the Ministry of Agriculture at London. A can on such planting has been enforced since early days of the war. Farmers must continue to specialize in ordinary food crops, however, with stress on carrots, potatoes and cabbages.

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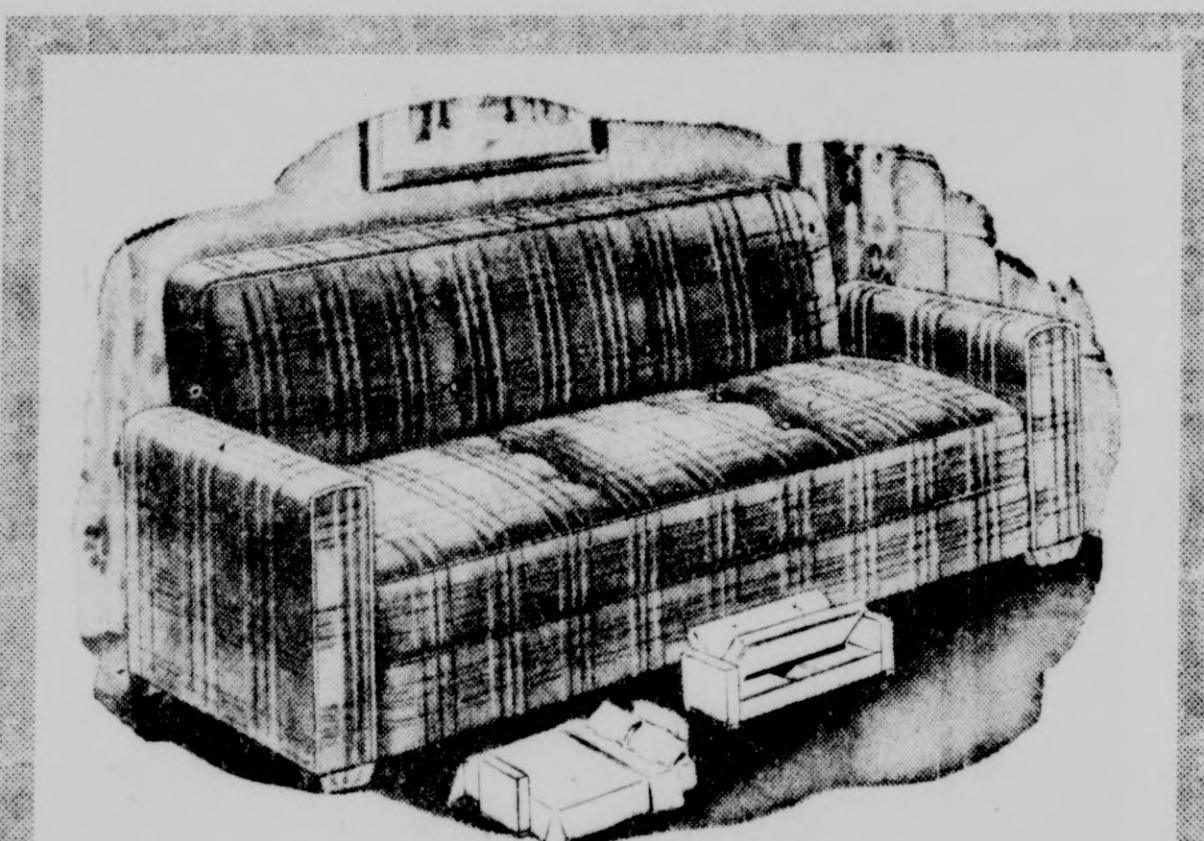
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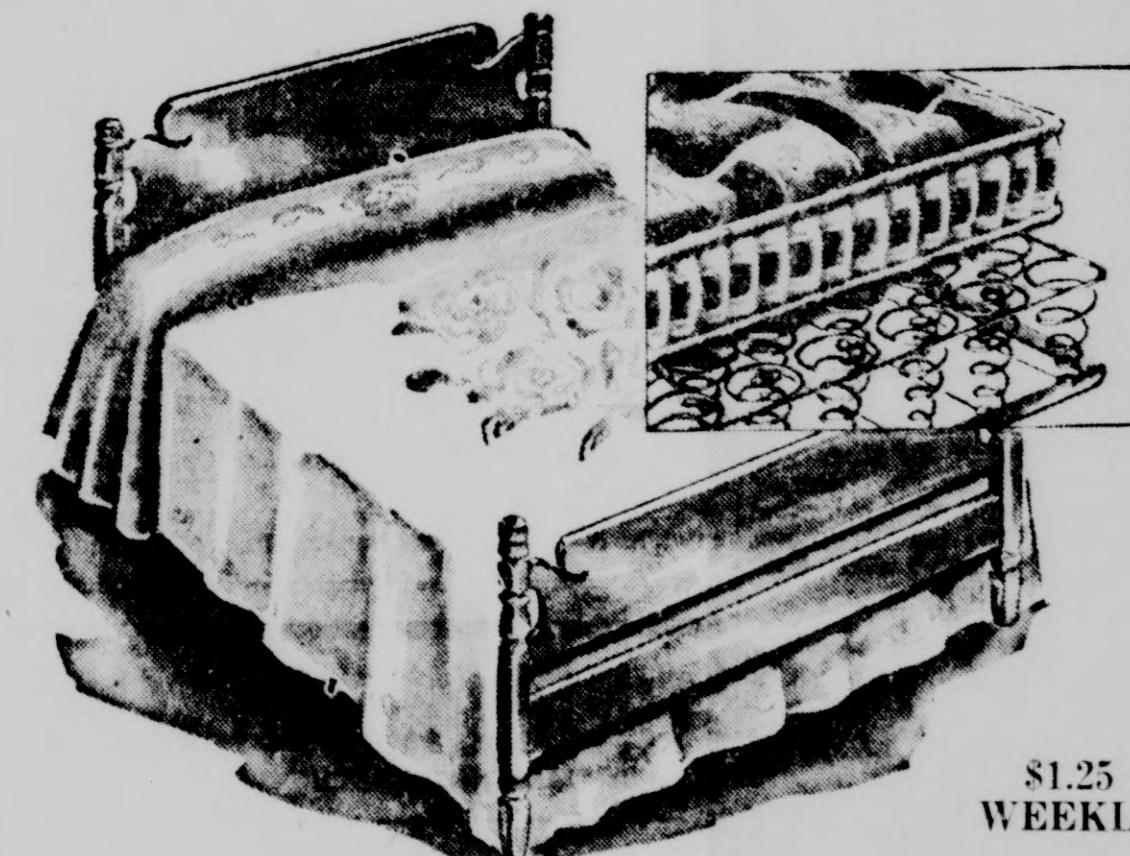


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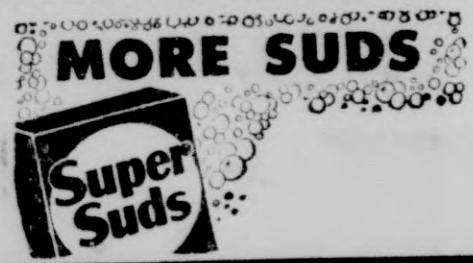
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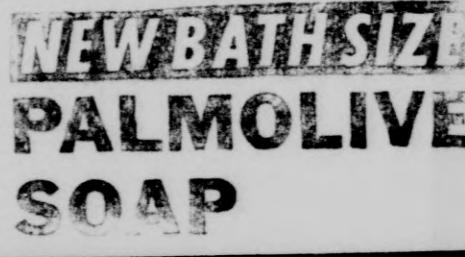
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New Castle Twins Take Twin Jobs In Government Office

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The King girls, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. William M. King, 519 Cedar street, are both graduates of New Castle high school class of '43 where they had the reputation of being the fastest typists in their class. Their brother, William King Jr., is in the army and their mother is working in army ordnance.

Vivian and Lillian were interviewed in Pittsburgh for their jobs by a representative of the Veterans' Administration who also happened to be a twin. The King girls not only work alike and look alike—they also dress alike.

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Though every barrel of Pennsylvania crude oil draws a 75 cent subsidy from the federal treasury,

Hallinan pointed out that production has slumped at the rate of five million barrels a year since August 1944 when the subsidy became effective.

Claiming that the subsidy has worked in reverse, cutting instead of increasing production, the PAW official added that oil producers will not risk capital in developing new pools unless they are assured of an adequate market price based on sound economics instead of the whim of an individual.

The salinity of the Mediterranean Sea is slightly greater than that of the Atlantic ocean.

CORSICAN BREW TOUGH

MT. LEBANON, Pa.—(INS)—

Capt. Richard E. Grant, 21-year-old fighter pilot home from the Medi-

terranean, flew his crippled ship for more than 100 miles before it plunged into the sea. He got out safely and reached shore but admitted the

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stocks; but if so, one should buy the stock of a company which is also well established in the fabricating end.

(10) Food Stocks: This group includes the baking companies, canning companies and other food processing companies. Personally, I would rather buy the stock of some good grocery chain than tie myself down to any one of the manufacturers. If, however, you want a strictly "food stock" I suppose one having both "necessity" and "luxury" foods would be my choice.

Please remember I give the above simply as illustrations—there are other good groups and ideas which I have not included. In this great country there are many good companies. But whatever you buy—diversify!

BRIEF NEWS OVER STATE

(By International News Service)

(1) Manufacturing:

Select some

company like a paper, textile or oil

company which is in a "repeat"

business rather than a company dealing in equipment which lasts a lifetime. Thus, beware of many shipbuilding, aviation or machine tools at this time.

(2) Public Utilities:

Select the

stock of some

good company which

is being eliminated by the

Securities &

Exchange Commission

and which should liquidate for considerably more than the present market price. Stocks which fulfill such requirements may be immune from stock market sinking stocks.

(3) Merchandise Stocks:

Visit the

variety chain stores in your city.

Pick out the two or three which you like the best. Ask your local banker which of these have their stock listed on the New York Stock Exchange. Buy the one which yields you the most annual income.

(4) Fire Insurance Stocks:

Look

at your

insurance policies and buy the

stock of the company which

has been doing business the longest

number of years. I also like good casualty stocks. Both types combine ownership of a business and participation in a large list of good investments.

(5) Bank Stocks:

Buy either the

stock of the

local bank with

which you

deal or else buy the stock of the

New York City bank which your

local bank uses as a correspondent.

Besides earning money on services

rendered, most banks now earn on

large government bond holdings.

(6) Building Stocks:

These should

be good although they already are

sealing rather high due to the big

building boom expected after the

war. Choose one manufacturing

building materials and one making

house furnishings. I also like the

cement stocks and certain of the

steels.

(7) Chemical Stocks:

These also

are selling pretty high now; but we

are going into a chemical age and

many miracles are ahead of us. For

instance, Dow Chemical is making

products from sea-water! Remember

that while our agricultural soils

are getting poorer every year, the

ocean is constantly getting richer

in chemicals and minerals.

(8) Transportation Stocks:

Probably everyone should own a little

stock of some well established auto-

mobile company. Certainly, these

should be safer to hold than most

railroad stocks. I think nearly all

railroads will suffer in the post-

war period. Airplane transportation

stocks are now fairly high.

(9) Mining Stocks:

This may not

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Patton's Army To Destroy Great German Area

By MAJOR PAUL C. BABORG
(Written Especially for INS)

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—Lieut. Gen. George S. Patton's third army again breaks into spectacular action. Up to Wednesday night, it had captured 40 German towns and on Wednesday seized 2,400 Nazi prisoners—the equivalent of about one German regiment.

George Patton is a Spartan. At his age, he is possessed of more physical fitness and energy than most men ever know. All his life he has trained himself to seek danger.

A number of years ago he had a farm south of Washington. It was well stocked with riding horses and hunters. On that place, Patton had built several courses of jumps. All were of solid construction—timber or stone. There were no jumps made of brush that a horse could jump through.

Patton Leads

One week-end he took a number of guests on a cross-country ride with him. Most of the ground was rocky, all of it was covered with ice and sheet. It was most unsure footing for horses. Patton always led the field of riders and he always took the most difficult jumps.

Asked why he had, on every occasion, ridden the most dangerous course and jumped the highest obstacles, Patton laughed. He said: "I did that, my friend, and I've done it all my life, to cure my soul of fear. Every regular soldier knows that normally he will someday be called upon to meet the supreme test—that is, the control of fear in battle. I have dedicated my life to physical fitness and the control of fear."

That is why he cannot tolerate softness or fear in others.

More Than Spartan

Patton is much more than a Spartan. He is possessed of the boundless energy already mentioned, and of incomparable dash. He is a realist. His life-long training has been in the cavalry which is noted for gallantry—and results. To Patton the shortest distance between two points is a straight line." He has no time for circuitous routes. He has no time for idle preliminaries. He has no time for useless talk.

Gen. Frank McCaugh, who also is a cavalryman, not long ago said: "Patton is one of the finest, hardest, toughest soldiers I have ever known. He cannot be in the battlefield—he must be at the front, but he is tactless because he is blunt and direct. He has no time for diplomacy. He wants results, and at once.

Patton's army will destroy one of Germany's great industrial areas. It is driving east into the mountainous country that the Germans will probably retire to after the fall of Berlin. Lieut. Gen. George S. Patton, Jr.'s, fighting record has only just commenced.

SPOTLIGHT Of Today

KEY OFFICERS
NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—(INS)—Behind the great fleets of heavy bombers unleashing an increasing fury upon an already battered Germany, there are dozen key Allied officers who have long advocated air power and who have fashioned into the weapon it is today.

Notable among them are Lieut. Gen. Carl Spaatz, commanding general of the U. S. Strategic Air Forces in Europe, and Air Chief Marshal Sir Arthur Travers Harris, commander of the RAF bomber command.

These are the two men who run the four-engined bomber, now sending their fleets out day and night in a mammoth pattern which now encompasses a hundred targets in one 24-hour period.

Born the son of a Pennsylvania-Dutch newspaper publisher, Spaatz went to West Point, was one of the first 25 army men to earn his wings and as a major commanded the famous army plane question mark on its six-day continuous refueling flight over Southern California.

He grew with the Army Air Forces and as leader of the Eighth Air Force in England, when the 15th in Africa, he saw them develop into the armadas they are today.

Harris has had a similar career. Back in 1924 he commanded one of the first RAF night bomber groups and put his planes through more night flying than any other air forces then in the world. Red-faced, hearty, with cold blue eyes, he has been criticized for expecting too much from the strategic bombing carried out by the flying trucks he sends over the Reich night by night. He has been ruthless in a ruthless war and one of his squadron leaders has commented:

"We love Harris. He's so bloody inhuman."

Clara Barton, at the age of 77, was in charge of a Red Cross ship during the Spanish-American war.



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'The Gypsy Baron' Pleases Large Crowd

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If Johann Strauss could have returned to the Cathedral Thursday night, we believe the waltz king would have been satisfied with the New York City Opera company's presentation of his "Gypsy Baron". About 1700 members of the Metropolitan Concert Guild evidenced their enjoyment of the operetta in the kind of applause that is food for an artist's soul.

"The Gypsy Baron" was the peak of this season's guild offerings. It was a satisfying performance, musically, dramatically, mechanically. The voices were young and fresh and pleasing, the acting was done naturally, and the staging was a

piece of work that set the whole performance. And may we say the costumes looked as though the road tour was just starting, instead of finishing, as it does in Pittsburgh Saturday night.

'Boy Meets Girl'

Like some of the modern composers, Strauss cared little for plot when he had good music. The plot of "The Gypsy Baron" is merely an early version of "Boy Meets Girl". Barinkay, an exiled land owner, has been restored to citizenship, meets Saffi, a gypsy girl living on his lands, marries her, finds treasures on his land, disappears Saffi is a princess in disguise, joins the army when he is not good enough for her. In war he becomes a hero, is rewarded by the empress who makes him a baron, reunites with Saffi, and there you are.

Doris Doree, a Metropolitan Opera dramatic soprano, had the part of Saffi and we doubt if ever Saffi has been better presented. Miss Doree has a warm voice of unusual range and a dramatic ability that stood her out.

in the cast. As to her appearance, she can thank Dame Nature, as we do.

Opposite her playing Barinkay was young tenor, Richard Tyrol, who has an excellent voice, who did a pleasing job but who we believe will be even better in a season or two.

Teresa Gerson had the part of Czpira, the gypsy woman, and here was more real artistry. The part is a difficult one but was well handled. Miss Gerson gave the part of Czpira stature with her lush contralto voice and a dramatic ability that was delightful.

Norman Rowland had the part of Szupan, the rich pig farmer, and Hubert Norville the part of Carnero, the imperial commissioner, both comedy parts and both well done.

The part of Arsena, the farmer's daughter, was taken by Helen George and done acceptably with Grant Garnell taking the part of Count Homonay. If you remember John "Taranlais" Thomas in the "Mikado" you have something of the idea of Mr. Garnell's appearance.

The ballet was small but good.

Young and lissome, the six girls pirouetted through a number of delightful routines and more than earned the applause they won. The orchestra was under the direction of Michael Kutner and for the operetta a bow to Mr. Kutner.

It is not usual to say anything of the stage manager but in this case John Newfield deserves mention.

The lighting was superbly done, the cast was cues right and while Mr. Newfield wasn't seen by the audience his excellent work was.

If the Metropolitan Concert Guild brings an attraction to New Castle next season as lovely and as well presented as "The Gypsy Baron", selling memberships should be easy.

It is the kind of entertainment prescribed for war nerves, or for anyone who likes two hours of enchanting music, excellent acting,

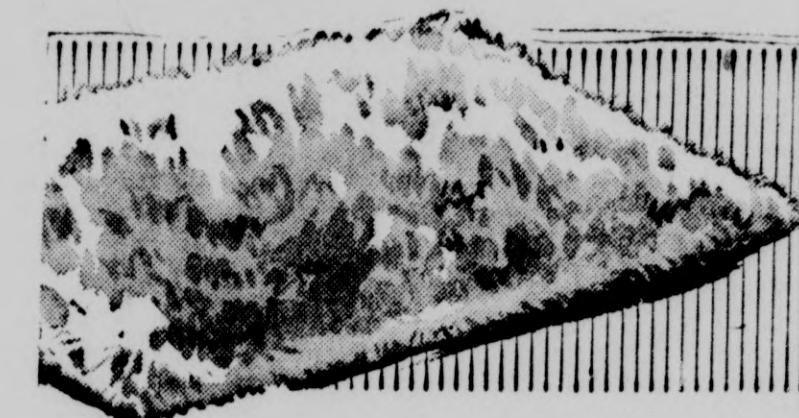
and may we get this in hers, a bevy of young lovelies that sends you home giving three cheers for Dame Nature.

On the program David W. Rees, president of the Metropolitan Con-

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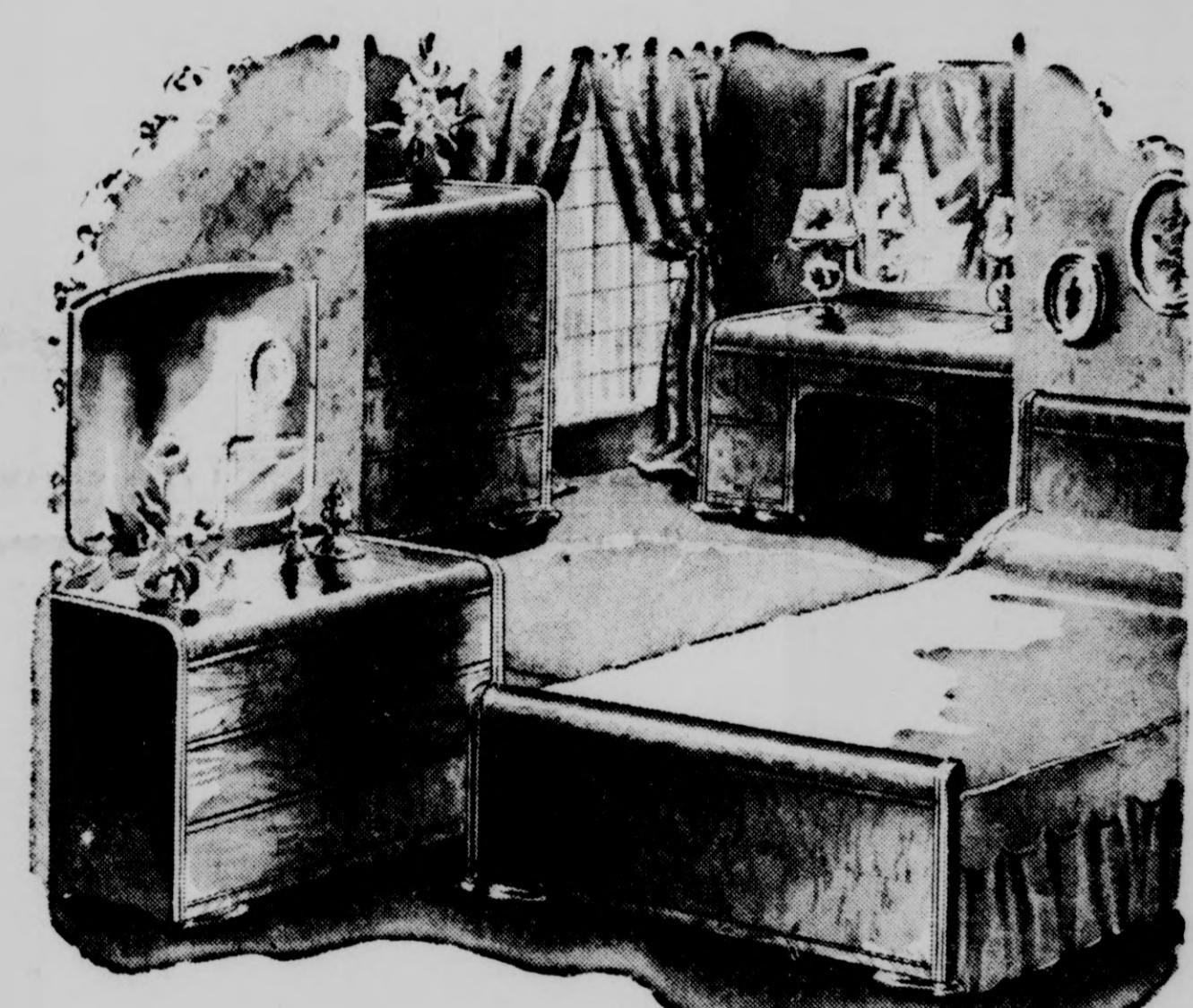
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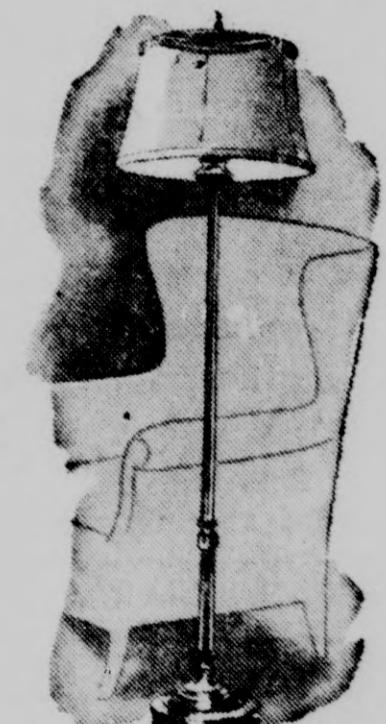
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Gals Who Refuse Safety Clothing Might Be Scalped

Still Some Who Won't Dress According To Rules, Safety Analyst Says

By FRANCES SPATZ
(I.N.S. Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23—Many women in war plants can scalp more women than were ever scalped by the Indians.

That's the verdict of Jack M. Peterman, industrial safety analyst of the bureau of labor standards, Department of Labor, who is engaged in solving industry's safety problems.

"Vanity is still one of the greatest war plant hazards," said Peterman, "and there are still many women who come to work dressed for a scalping."

May Got Scalped

He recited a little parody about these girls:

"Mary showed her pretty hair.
It had a lovely sheen.
She caught it in a whirling shaft.
Which scalped her nice and clean."

The only really safe headgear is a visored cap which covers every strand and which also has a stiff crown. The stiff crown is important because it signals a warning when the head comes close or touches machinery," he declared.

Slacks Overdone

Slacks can be overdone. Peterman continued. In the first place, he pointed out, it isn't always necessary to wear them. But when it is necessary, wide bottom slacks and sloppy slacks can be as hazardous as a skirt. To keep clear of machinery, he said, slacks should be close fitting around the ankles, should have no cuffs, no pockets and no big buttons.

Peterman said there are still women who like to come to work in loose flowing sleeves, fancy neckpieces and jewelry. "There's nothing machinery will take to better than these dangling items," he stated.

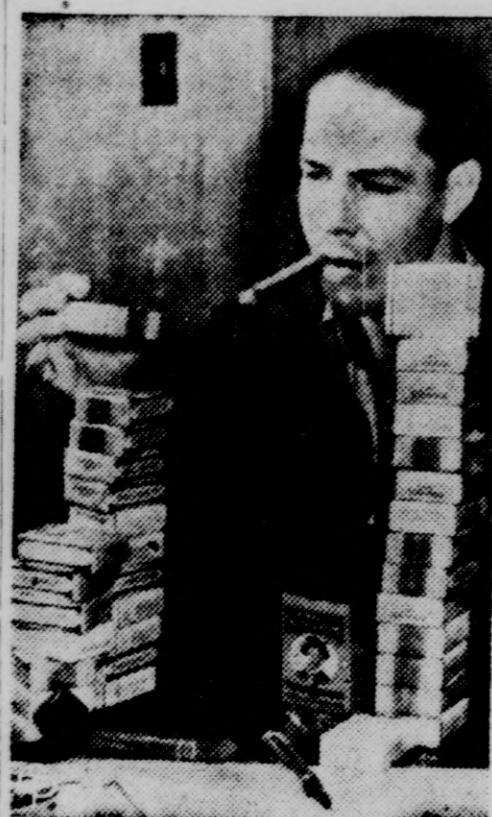
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Peterman declared that French heels, toeless shoes and wedges are still among the unsafe footgear present in war plants. "These may be dainty for dress," he said, "but they are deadly for work."

Anyone going up a ladder in wedges is almost certain to come clattering down in a heap, he asserted.

The natives of Estonia are mainly of Finno-Ugric stock and are related to the Finns and Hungarians.

Smoke Victim



Can't Get Around Curfew By Having Candles For Lights

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 23—(INS)—Plans which Pittsburgh tavern proprietors might have had for getting around the curfew by following a Newark cafe's proposal to adopt a post-midnight candlelight hour, were nipped at the wick today when War Manpower commission officials said that the candles were "out as far as we are concerned".

The plan had already been previewed by one cafe owner who turned off the heat at 10 p.m., switched off the electric lights at midnight and used 40 candles until the legal closing hour of 2 a.m.

WMC authorities in Washington, however, had already come out with a draft to the effect that the scheme would defeat "some of the purposes of the order which is to save transportation and manpower as well as fuel".

CIVIC LEADER DIES IN ALTOONA

ALTOONA, Pa., Feb. 23—(INS)—Rudolph H. Desouza, 64, of Altoona, county chairman of the Blair County War Finance committee and district superintendent of Baltimore Life Insurance company, today was reported to have died at the Altoona hospital after an extended illness.

A resident of Altoona since 1904, Marcus K. Smith, 18, ninth son of Mrs. Russell McFarland to be classified 1-A, today indicated he would seek a deferment.

Lehighton draft board officials who announced the classification said Marcus must appeal for deferment to receive special consideration.

James W. Marshall, who discovered gold in California, died in poverty, it is said.

The deep-sea fish, Chiasmodon Niger, noted for its voracity, sometimes swallows a fish larger than itself. This causes an extraordinary protrusion of its stomach.

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Letters From Prisoner Of War In Germany

(Editor's Note: Following is another in a series of "letters from a prisoner of war", written from a German prison camp by INS War Correspondent Lowell Bennett, who was captured by the Nazis after he was shot down during an RAF raid on Berlin.)

LOWELL BENNETT
(I.N.S. Staff Correspondent)

Here's more on our camp band and our proposed post-war tour of the United States.

The band also includes: drums, Lt. A. E. "Bud" Vokaty of Minneapolis, Minn.; guitar, Lt. Bill McConnell of Louisville, Ky.; vocalist, Lt. Bob J. Cavendish of Huntington, W. Va., who sang with Sammy Kaye's orchestra before entering the army, and the band's specialist—

We number several thousand here and everybody agrees that the band ranks close to the top name bands in the United States and England. The band has been the biggest morale factor in the camp.

The band plays several evenings per week in the mess hall.

All members of the band are extremely eager to work with the

crafts exhibit in a tour of the United States, to raise money for the Red Cross, to which everybody is very grateful.

Seek Reconversion Of Reynolds Into Veteran Hospital

SHARON, Pa., Feb. 23—Pointing out that Camp Reynolds, formerly a personnel replacement depot and now a canvas repair shop and prisoner of war camp, still has a completely equipped hospital with beds for 1,200 men, a committee from the Mercer County War Problems Committee is in Washington, D. C., to attempt to get the camp converted into a veterans' hospital.

The group was to speak with Senators Guffey and Myers and Congressman L. R. Rodgers, as well as officials of the Veterans Administration and army officers. Those who made the trip are Judge George H. Rowley, C. D. Kearns, Luther J. Kuder and John Grajcar.

Mexican Pilots

Complete Tough Training Course

MAJORS FIELD, Tex.—(INS)—A flag presentation ceremony was held here recently for the 201st Mexican Fighter Squadron when it completed training with the Army Air Forces at this P-47 fighter base near Greenville, Tex.

The squadron, which is the first unit of the Mexican Air Force to be trained in the United States since Mexico's entry into the war, concluded eight months of training a few days before the ceremony. A specially made flag was presented to President Avila Camacho's personal representative, General Francisco L. Urquiza, under secretary of national defense, by a high-ranking U. S. Army Air Forces officer.

Texas skies have been filled for the past three months with the roar of white-nosed P-47 Thunderbolt fighters piloted by the Mexican officer trainees. The squadron used AAF aircraft and equipment, and

received instruction from AAF personnel.

The squadron, with a complement of nearly 300 officers and enlisted men, entered the United States in July 1944 at Laredo, Tex. The enlisted men had been selected through stiff competitions, while the officers stood rigid tests for eligibility.

THE EASY WAY

PITTSBURGH, (INS)—Miliza Korjus, acclaimed as one of the world's top-ranking coloratura sopranos, is actually a singer only two days a week. She explained that she doesn't believe in practicing every day for just a little while, so she takes two entire days of her week and sings all day. The rest of the days are spent with her 11-year-old daughter.

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With Pleats, Cuffs, Zippers

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Boys' New Spring Long Pant SUITS

10.98

W.P.B. Manager For Pittsburgh District Named

CLEVELAND, Feb. 23.—(INS)—Appointment of John F. Stephens to succeed C. C. Morrison as manager of the Pittsburgh district of the war production board was announced today by John C. Virden, regional W.P.B. director, whose headquarters are in Cleveland.

Both men are residents of the steel city. Morrison headed the 32-county Pittsburgh W.P.B. district, embracing Western Pennsylvania, Eastern Ohio and Northern West Virginia, since January 1, 1944. Stephens has been on the war manpower board since November, 1941, and prior to his promotion, was at the head of the district priorities department.

Chinese Forces Capture Panhai

SOUTHEAST ASIA COMMAND HEADQUARTERS, Feb. 23.—(INS)—Chinese 50th Division troops have captured Panhai, Japanese base on the north bank of the Namtu river directly opposite Namtu itself, official spokesman announced today.

Other Chinese units attached to the First Army drove south of the stream and made new progress along the Burma road, they added.

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Alienation Suit Gets Man Nothing

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 23.—(INS)—An Allegheny county common pleas court jury, five of whose members asserted that they reached their verdict against "their wishes" today awarded Alden G. Tederman, McKeepsport, exactly nothing in his \$35,000 alienation of affections suit against his in-laws.

As soon as the sealed verdict, reached Wednesday night after six hour deliberation was read before Judge Alexander Cooper, Tederman's counsel, William T. Corbett, polled the jury. Corbett asked the judge to call a mistrial, saying he would file motion for a new one.

Judge Cooper affirmed the verdict, however, and declared that a new trial will decide if a new trial will be granted.

In the first alienation suit in Pittsburgh in years, Tederman charged his in-laws, Mr. and Mrs. William P. Brown, McKeepsport, of "poisoning" their daughter Phyllis, love for him. Married secretly in December 1942, Tederman said they never lived together because her father refused to "accept him."

Nazi Prisoners Are Disciplined

BALTIMORE, Md., Feb. 23.—(INS)—Approximately 1,300 German prisoners of war confined at Camp Ashby, Va., have been placed on bread and water rations after staging a "sympathy strike" and refusing to work, headquarters of the Army's Third Service Command announced today.

The prisoners' strike was in sympathy with a group of approximately 65 German prisoners who staged a "walk-out" yesterday in protest against disciplinary measures taken against a single prisoner of war who refused to work the day before," command headquarters said.

EDENBURG

Missionary Women of the Christian church and their families observed Brotherhood Day with a dinner in the church Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock. All the churches of the Disciples of Christ observe this event once a year, and a dinner is served at the same time.

After the dinner, a short program of music was enjoyed, a record from the state society was played. Several members of the state society made talks. Following a talk by the pastor, the meeting closed with the missionary benediction.

Mrs. Clifford Beight, of the north side, is visiting relatives in Erie.

BROTHER-IN-LAW OF CORONER DIES

Coroner T. F. Nugent, of East Grant street, has received word of the death of his brother-in-law, James J. Flynn, which occurred at his home in Boston, Mass., as the result of an illness of pneumonia.

Funeral services were conducted this morning.

Held Captive



Charge Strike Is Sabotage Effort

DETROIT, Feb. 23.—(INS)—A strike which broke out in the B-29 bomber engine department of the Dodge plant was branded by the Chrysler corporation today as "a carefully organized strike designed to sabotage the war effort."

The entire plant, employing 13,000 workers, was threatened with closing after more than 1,968 men left their jobs at 9:30 a.m. this morning.

In strikes and other labor disputes throughout the city a total of 3,136 war workers including the

Dodge strikers were off their jobs today.

According to a company spokesman, the Dodge strike was called after the company discharged seven employees for "loafing on the job" failure to keep up their war production schedules and insubordination.

SIGNBOARD BLOWS OVER ON HIGHWAY

Traffic was delayed on Highland avenue, at the city limits last night, when the high wind blew over a signboard along the road.

Constable Ted Altman and his deputies were on hand directing traffic until the obstruction could be removed.

NEED 18,046 EMPLOYEES

HARRISBURG, Feb. 23.—(INS)—

The state war manpower commission reported today 1,463 workers were placed in critical war plants during the past two weeks but emphasized that 18,046 additional em-

ploees were needed to staff factories producing rockets, ammunition and planes.

"At present, United States employment service offices of the war manpower commission are exerting every effort to staff adequately

plants upon which our fighting men must rely to achieve swift victory," said Director Floran J. Boland.

Owen Wister, American novelist, was the grandson of Frances Anne Kemble Butler, better known as "Fanny Kemble".

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Delicious for stew or sauted.

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Blue Pike . . . 1lb. 43c

Fillets.

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Fillets.

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Heinz. Point free.

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Country Club. Tasty, crispy.

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NEED RECRUITS FOR COMPANY F

Men 17 To 50 Are Sought For Pennsylvania State Guard Company In City

You're not in the armed forces and of course there is a reason for it. You may be over 38, your physical condition was not quite good enough or you may be important in essential war industry.

But there's still tiny spot for you, if you want to fill it. Right now there is a need for about 50 recruits in Company F, 16th Infantry, Pennsylvania State Guard, which has its headquarters in the Joseph V. Cunningham armory. Men from 17 to 50 who are in reasonably good physical condition are wanted for the guard service and Lieut. Robert F. Galbreath, Jr., the commanding officer, would like to fill the roster before inspection which is March 14.

The company drills every Monday night in the armory and any one interested in serving can enlist any Monday night. The service is interesting, it is a part of the home security program and in the summer there is a camp period at Indiantown Gap which is enjoyable.

The roster of the company has been riddled several times by men being inducted into service as they reached the age. Lt. Galbreath is anxious to fill the roster before camp. Why not look into the idea and enlist?

Mink Farm Comes From Aching Tooth

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 23.—(INS)—An aching tooth has developed into what is one of the largest mink farms in Western Pennsylvania.

Six years ago while O. B. Weinman, of Wexford, was having the troublesome tooth treated, he discussed his ambition to be a chicken farmer with his dentist, who suggested mink-raising instead. In a short time, both doctor and patient had talked themselves into being milk-farmers.

Today the partners have 1,200 cages on their Wexford farm with good chances that the cages will be filled by late spring. With OPA ceiling prices for mink skins set at \$35 a pelt, Weinman and Dr. Baldwin, who hope to net over 700 mink this year, should be able to lie back in their dentist chairs and watch the furs go by.

Before World War II Estonia exported large quantities of butter, eggs and bacon annually to England and Germany.

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Sister, Civilian Internee, Freed

Mrs. James Gilbert Thomas, Sister Of Loy H. Patterson, Released In Philippines

Mrs. Regny Patterson, of 18 East Grant street, has received official word from Washington, D.C., that her daughter, Mrs. James Gilbert Thomas, together with Mr. Thomas and their five-year old daughter Jane, who were interned at Santos Tomas camp in the Philippines, have been rescued and their condition is good.

Mrs. Thomas is a sister of Loy H. Patterson, of the above address.

Mr. Thomas is a bacteriologist with the Winthrop Chemical Company, who with his family had been living in Manila for only seven months at the time of the Pearl Harbor attack. Prior to that they had been residents of Honolulu, Brooklyn, N.Y., and Pittsburgh.

Their daughter celebrated her fifth birthday on the day that U.S. troops liberated Santos Tomas.

Newlyweds Almost Honeymoon In Jail

PORLAND, Ore.—(INS)—A sailor and his newly-wed bride don't think much of practical jokers.

The couple, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Larsen, were married at the Episcopal church at Vancouver, Wash., and drove away on clouds of married bliss. But unbeknownst to them, an anonymous "friend" called Vancouver police and reported their car had been stolen from in front of the church.

The newlyweds came back to earth with a jolt when a Portland policeman with drawn gun ordered them to the curb. Larsen fished out "all kinds of papers" to prove who he was, but police thought it would be well to make doubly sure and took them to the police station.

They soon were released amid congratulations and best wishes, but by that time everybody agreed that the joke was very impractical.

GOOD SAMARITAN

SOUTH BEND, Wash.—(INS)—Assigned to act as an executioner for a stray dog, Deputy Sheriff Jim Anderson instead became a friend in need for the homeless wain.

When Anderson found the dog it turned out to be a companionable and friendly collie. So instead of shooting the stray, he found it a home on a farm.

It is said that the first waltz ever composed was "Ach du lieber Augustin," which was written in 1770.

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Fumes From Oven Kill Aged Woman

Tons Of Coal Burn In Railroad Blaze

ERIE, Pa., Feb. 23.—From 5,000 to 6,000 tons of coal have been consumed in the railroad yards of the New York Central Lines near Erie where a large stock pile caught fire early in December and has been burning ever since.

Workers are reportedly making heavy work in fighting the blaze by dousing the pile with water. Early attempts to block the fire were hindered by the December 11 blizzard.

The aged woman, who had lived alone for many years, had been dead since Monday or Tuesday according to Coroner J. Charles Dengler.

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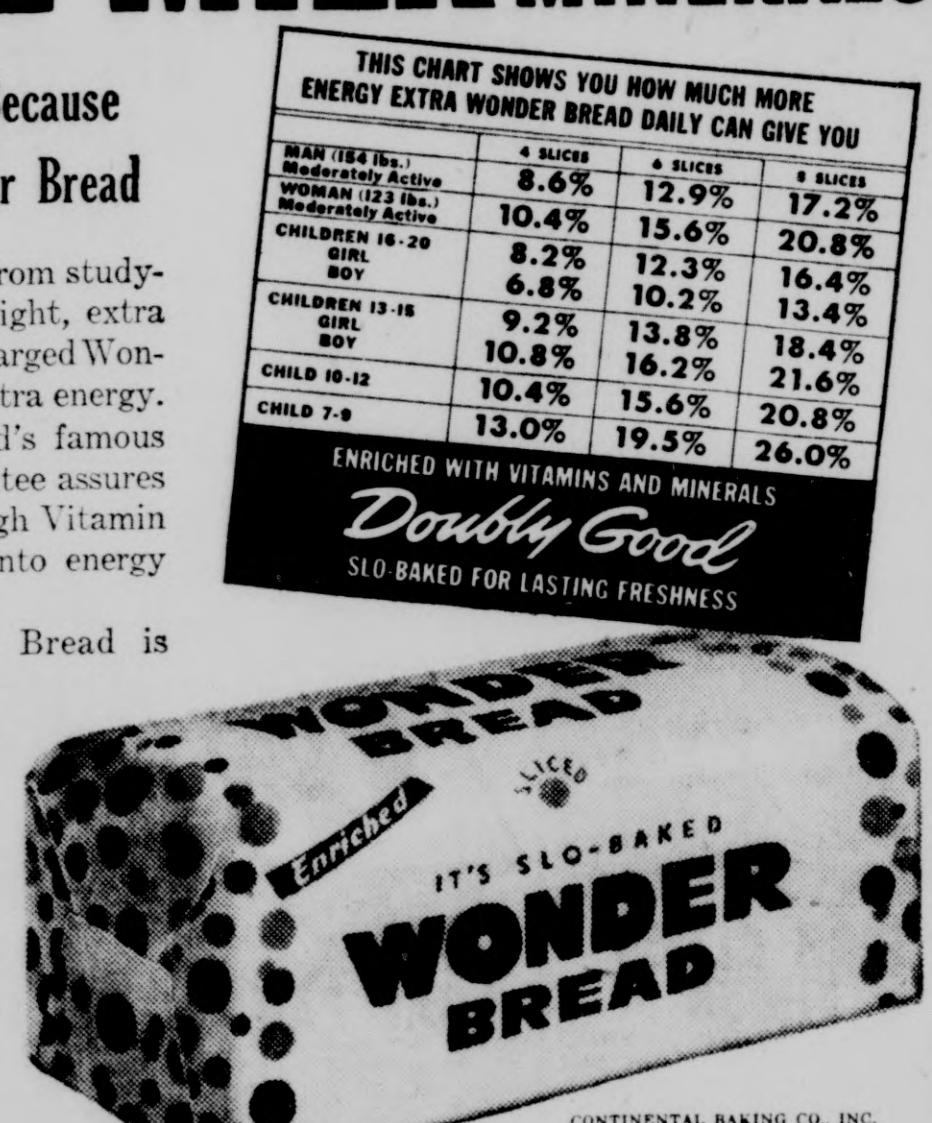
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NEWS AND VIEWS AT CAPITAL

(International News Service)

HARRISBURG, Feb. 23.—The House-approved resolution which on the surface appears to end the introduction of most legislation after March 12 really means little or nothing, according to several assemblymen . . . the resolution, co-sponsored by Majority Leader Franklin H. Lichtenwalter, of Lehigh, and Minority Chieftain Hiriam G. Andrews of Cambria, prohibits new legislation after that date "except" for appropriation and revenue measures and bills "ordered drafted" prior to the deadline . . . Robert Frye, director of the legislative reference bureau, said more than 200 bills would be turned out in his bureau . . . other measures, however, may be drafted elsewhere for legislators . . . since the session opened, approximately 1100 bills have been thrown into the legislative hopper.

There has been a growing tendency among lawmakers, however, to discard any bill proposing increases which does not permit local school officials to take into consideration each teacher's ability and qualifications . . . In other words, several lawmakers and members of the state school commission feel that increases should be awarded only if they are deserved . . . If a teacher fails to meet a certain standard, annual pay boosts

would be postponed . . . Much opposition is expected if legislation carrying out the ideas is introduced but many assemblymen feel that a teacher deserves more consideration.

Pfc. C. DeGennaro Wounded In Action

Artilleryman Seriously Injured In Luxembourg February 6. Telegram States

Pfc. Charles DeGennaro, aged 20 years, has been seriously wounded in action in Luxembourg, February 6, according to word received by his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Rich, 420 Blanton avenue.

Pfc. DeGennaro was attached to the artillery. He enlisted in the army two and a half years ago, and served overseas for a year.

A brother, Joseph DeGennaro is in the navy, and another brother was injured while in service and was discharged.

Wampum Boy Scouts To Collect Paper

Saturday, March 3, has been set by the Boy Scouts of Wampum as the day to collect waste paper with the Wampum Rotary Club sponsoring the collection. Wampum citizens are asked to have their waste paper bundled and on the curbs in front of their homes before noon on collection day.

Freight gross ton miles for the first half of 1944 amounted to 833,000,000, according to the Office of Defense Transportation, an increase of 106 per cent over the pre-war year 1939.

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CREAM OF WHEAT 28 oz. pkg. 25c
HERSHEY'S COCOA 1/2 lb. pkg. 11c
RIBBON TEA BALLS 48 to pkg. 49c
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Pfc. J. Chiaro And
Pfc. S. Colucci Meet

Pfc. John Chiaro, serving with the Medical Corps, and Pfc. Samuel Colucci, serving with the Field Artillery, met recently in the Philippines, according to word received here. The two young men were next door neighbors, and this is the

first time either one has seen a former friend since leaving the states.

Pfc. Chiaro has been in the service three years and has been overseas 21 months. He was stationed in Australia and also in New Guinea. Pfc. Colucci saw service in Guam and Leyte. He is now at a rest camp in the Philippines.

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Red Cross Proud Of Blood Donors

Splendid Record Is Made
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Lawrence County
Citizens

Lawrence County made a fine record during 1944 in the Red Cross blood donor service. During the three trips of the mobile blood unit to the County, a total of 6,141 pints of blood was given for plasma for the armed forces.

Because residents of Lawrence County and other counties throughout the country have given of their blood, thousands of boys wounded in action will return to their homes fully recovered instead of succumbing to shock and loss of blood which have in the past caused so many deaths from wounds.

While the processing of the blood into plasma and shipping it to the war fronts are handled by the Army and Navy, the solicitation of donors and local arrangements for blood collections are under the jurisdiction of the Red Cross.

Here in New Castle the Red Cross has made an enviable record by exceeding the blood quota assigned to the unit while in town. The quota is approximately the maximum capacity of the unit and with few exceptions, of all the days it was located here, reservations were made and kept with clock-like precision so that the unit was always operating at capacity. Few, if any, communities in Western Pennsylvania have equalled New Castle's record with the mobile blood unit.

**Pvt. Peter Zarilla
Wounded In Belgium**

Madison Avenue Soldier Suffers Injuries While Fighting Against Nazis. Parents Learn

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Zarilla, of 212 East Madison avenue, have received word from the War Department that their son, Pvt. Peter Zarilla, U.S. Infantry, was wounded in Belgium on December 18.

Pvt. Zarilla has been in service over two years, and went overseas last August. He had trained with a tank battalion but was assigned to infantry service on arrival overseas.

Resident's Nephew Wounded In Belgium

Staff Sgt. Robert W. Howard Injured In Battle Of Belgium

February 7

Mrs. Gladys W. Baker, 306 East Lincoln Avenue, manager of West Union, received word that her nephew, Staff Sgt. Robert W. Howard, Charleston, West Va., has been seriously wounded in Belgium, February 7.

Sgt. Howard is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Howard, of Charleston, West Va. No other word has been received.

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FIRST ex-servicewoman to reap such a benefit under the GI bill-of-rights is Elizabeth Lutz, 24, Pittsburgh, Pa., a former WAC who was given a \$1400 grant to help build a new home. (International)

SOME DAY THIS WAR WILL END

There is a war on and naturally there are shortages. However, in some places there is an alleged shortage of courtesy—in a majority of cases unknown to the owner or proprietor. Courtesy should never be "rationed". Traveling around one hears such utterances as follows from employees and customers:

"Got any ham?"

"Are you kiddin'?"

"How about some cigarettes?"

"If we had any cigarettes we'd smoke 'em ourselves."

"Mashed potatoes, not home fried please."

"You take what we have. Don't you know there's a war on?"

"Could you save these points and when it comes in, get us some?"

"Yes."

"Any points required for that?"

"Not now but if you wait until tomorrow there may be."

"Just think of it, we're out of points and can't buy a chicken!"

"Why not build a coop and set a hen next spring?"

"It's a shame. I wanted a whole pound of butter and could only get half a pound."

"What?—points for tomato juice?

I'm sure glad I grew a lot of tomatoes in my garden last summer."

"Every try raising carrots. That juice is good, too."

"Are these vegetables fresh?"

"As fresh as you are."

Bulge Drive Most Costly In Nation's History

CLEVELAND, O., Feb. 23.—(INS)—Undersecretary of War Robert P. Patterson declared Thursday that the German Ardennes breakthrough last December produced "the costliest engagement of our history."

Addressing the Cleveland Advertising Club, Patterson listed total casualties between December 16 and January 11 at 55,420 of which 37,005 were killed and wounded, and 18,416 prisoners of war—a rate of more than 2,000 casualties daily.

These were more complete figures than had previously been released by the War Department.

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In view of this Mr. Moses asked the city to issue sufficient bonds to pay or do so doing although he said the city could, if desired, withhold the ale until such time as the city wanted the work done. At present a new trunk sewer is being built.

Sometime ago council decided that the city would not issue any bonds until the councilmen decided the

time had arrived to do the work.

However, the state health department has been insistent that the city carry out what the district engineer, C. H. Young, claims, was failure to keep a promise to issue the bonds. Mayor John F. Haven and Councilman Joseph D. Alexander desired an official reply be made to Mr. Young. However, while a resolution was adopted no negative reply was sent to him.

Councilman Alexander maintained an answer should be given hence he said he would forward one from his office saying "no bond issue now."

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Suits again take top fashion honors for Spring versatility! Suits softly tailored with young fitted jackets, slim skirts—with more news in brilliant color, collarless or small rever necklines. It will pay you to choose your suit at the Beatus Shop!



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Springtime blouse beauties you'll love on sight! Beruffled jabot charmers for your soft tailleur, classics and crisp bow-tie blouses to accent your cardigan suit, "jewelry" neckline blouses for your dressmaker suit. And, of course, they'll top all your skirts smartly.



BEATUS SHOP

NEXT TO CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK

City Will Not Issue Bonds To Pay For Future Plant Repairs

This city is the only one in the Beaver dam district which has not complied with the requirements of the state health department, according to a letter received by solons from H. E. Moses, chief engineer, state health department, Harrisburg.

Problems which most concern the hostesses, according to questions they asked Lieut. Manette, include:

"What do to help the disabled man who is learning to walk with crutches, the "moody" man with a chip on his shoulder, the man who wants to 'get something off his chest' where a superior officer is concerned, the blinded boy on his way home to parents who still don't know he is blind—and who, as a result, doesn't want to go home."

Date Insurance Confuses Police

READING, Pa., Feb. 23.—(INS)—The shortage of manpower has thrown another problem into the hands of the Reading police department—date insurance.

It all started when a young man

—unwilling to take a young lady's promise of "cross my heart" that she would meet him for a date—accepted her purse as insurance that the appointment would not be broken.

The young man in this case kept

the appointment but went home when the girl failed to make an appearance. Instead she went to the police station to complain about her handbag.

The man willingly turned over

the bag to detectives and told his story, and all concerned agreed to forget the whole affair.

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Chief Engineer Hoyland has

taken the attitude the state body

is attempting to tell the city how to

conduct its finances. He said

FRESH FRUITS and VEGETABLES

BANANAS	lb. 12c
U.S. NO. 1 LARGE FLORIDA	
NEW POTATOES	10 lbs. 69c
LARGE 200 SIZE	
SUNKIST LEMONS	doz. 29c
FANCY LARGE SIZE YELLOW SKIN	
ONIONS	10-lb. bag 45c
U.S. NO. 1	
PORTO RICAN YAMS, 3 lbs.	29c
FRESH CALIF.	
CARROTS	bch. 9c
FRESH TENDER	
SPINACH	lb. 10c
FRESH ICEBERG	
LETUCE	lge. hd. 10c
LARGE SIZE TEXAS PINK	
GRAPEFRUIT	3 for 29c
LARGE BUNCH CALIFORNIA	
PASCAL CELERY	25c
FANCY RED EMPEROR	
GRAPES	lb. 29c
FRESH	
GREEN PEPPERS	lb. 29c
126 SIZE CALIFORNIA	
SUNKIST ORANGES	doz. 59c

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Golden Dawn (no points)	46 ozs. 44c
Orange Juice	10-oz. Cans Armour's
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Camay	3 bars 20c
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Laundry Soap	10 lge. 43c
Jersey	
Milk	10 tall cans 84c
Hellmann's	
Mayonnaise	pt. 35c
Cello Bags	
Black Pepper	1/2 lb. 35c
Blue	
Karo Syrup	10-lb. can 65c

Case of
24 for ... \$2.69

No. 2 Cans

jar 14c

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10 tall cans 89c

Stokley

Ketchup

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Betty Crocker

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3 bxs. 25c

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PHILLIPS	
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Case of 24 for ... \$2.69	
29-oz. Jars	
Apple Butter	2 for 37c
10-oz. Cans Armour's	
Treat	3 for \$1.00
Heinz	
Baked Beans	jar 14c
Pet. Wilson or Everyday	
Milk	10 tall cans 89c
Stokley	lge. btl. 19c
Ketchup	19c
Betty Crocker	
Soup Mix	3 bxs. 25c

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Fancy Cut	
Chuck Roast	lb. 24c
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SWEET SIXTEEN	
OLEO	
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Center Rib	
Veal Chops	lb. 39c
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Veal Roast	lb. 23c
B.C.	
Salami	lb. 53c
Blue Bonnet	
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Spring	
Leg O' Lamb	lb. 37c
Spring	
Lamb Shoulder	lb. 35c
Hot Italian	
Sausage	lb. 39c
Country Style	
Pork Sausage	lb. 39c

Pickled	
PIGS FEET	
5 lbs. 25c	

Mahgi Club Meets Hostess Gets Gift

Joint Garden Club Conference Held

Girl Scouts Begin To Play Exhibition For Birthday Week

Representatives Of Eight Clubs Of
County Meet At Castleton
Hotel To Plan

Groups Will Put On Demonstration
Of Work In Downtown
Windows March 11

Celebrating the beginning of Girl Scouts 33 years ago when 24 girls gathered in the home of Juliette Low in Savannah, Ga., local Girl Scout troops are already preparing for the window exhibitions which they will be giving in downtown store windows on Monday, March 11, from 4:30 until 8:30.

The exhibits will demonstrate the different phases of girl training showing just how extensive its program is. According to Mrs. Harry Wettich, a member of the Lawrence County Council, its purpose is to help the girls realize the value of service in the home and in the community.

Educational lines have been fol-

low in carrying out the scout program. Girls will in turn give demonstrations of arts and crafts, health and safety, music and dancing, international friendship, sports and games, community life, literature and dramatics, homemaking, outdoors life and nature.

The younger girls will take part during the earlier hours and the older girls will do more advanced work later.

SOME JAPS RETURN WEST

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—(INS)—Secretary of the Interior Ickes disclosed today that 539 persons of Japanese ancestry have returned to the west coast since Jan. 2, when the army approved their return from war relocation camps.

Approximately 1,200 moved eastward during the seven-week period through Feb. 17 to join the 33,000 evacuees who had previously relocated there. Of the 1,200, 900 came from 4:30 until 8:30.

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Local Soldiers Defend Camp Post

Sgt. Cornelius Cowhey And Pfc.
Dick Lewis In 'Battle Of
The Bulge'

Dave Lewis of 212 East Long avenue has received a letter from Sgt. H. S. Horney, Jr., formerly of Andrews street, enclosing a clipping from the "Stars and Stripes" soldiers' newspaper overseas.

The item states: "With the Fourth Infantry Division—the Park Hotel in Berdorf (Belgium) had been elaborately furnished floors, with steam heat, soft beds and a radio in every room. It made a classy camp post for Co. F, 12th Inf. Reg. Then came the German counter-offensive. Cooks, runners, supply men and others defended the camp post from windows on all five floors. They held out for five days, but each day the Jerries knocked a floor off the hotel, until finally the Yanks were firing from behind rubble in the cellar. Every-

body found good hunting. T-4 Jerry, Casey, a cook from Boston, knocked a Nazi bazooka out of action. Pvt. Walter Schumann of New Rochelle, N. Y., cook, left his stove long enough to destroy a machine gun. Heroism of soldiers who seldom had to fire weapons made this stand possible."

Among the runners who took part in this gallant stand were Sgt. Cornelius Cowhey and Pfc. Dick Lewis of New Castle.

GAMBLING CHARGE

Acting upon orders of Mayor John F. Haven that slot machines and punchboards, reportedly used in connection with cigarettes, be eliminated from the city, Chief of Police Robert D. Hanna today before Aldean B. J. Blondi charged Floyd Rice, Boyles avenue businessman, with setting up and operating a gambling device. Rice posted bail for court. Rice was arrested by Detectives W. G. McMullen and John Moore.

According to city officials, a penny slot machine and a punchboard were seized in the place.

Try The News Want Ads For Results

Helena Survivor Becomes Ensign

Walmo Garden club plans to plant flowers at Deshon Annex in the spring and will be glad to have other clubs help in this project, it was announced.

Walmo Garden club plans to help the girls realize the ideals of service in the home and in the community.

MOHAWKS BEAVERS WIN TOURNAMENT

On Thursday evening at Mahoning school the Mahoningtown Boy Scouts had their meeting. Lloyd Spears was in charge of the opening exercises.

Several tests were passed. James Castrucci received his tenderfoot badge.

The basketball tournament was continued with games between the patrols. The Mohawks and Beavers came out winners on the evening.

ARRIVES IN FRANCE

Mrs. Harriett Howard of West Clayton street, and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Howard Sr. of 392½ North Cedar street, have received word from husband and son respectively Pfc. William E. Howard, that he has arrived in France and is getting along fine. This is the first word from him for six weeks when he left for overseas and it is believed that delayed mail is on its way. Bill says they are having lots of rain and getting colder. He's attached to the combat engineers.

INCOME TAX RETURNS

I will be at Ross' Shoe Shop, evenings, 7 to 9.

CLARENCE H. COATES

Feb. 23-24-27

SEVENTH WARD PERSONALS

Miss Genevieve Moss of the Revenue department, Harrisburg, is visiting over the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William A. Moss of 301 West Clayton street.

Mrs. Alex Johnson of 311 Newell avenue, who has been ill at her home, is much improved and able to be out.

David and Samuel Rusu of Youngstown are spending a few days visiting with their sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. William Altman of 702 West Clayton street.

Jennie Marie Pitocchi, 203 North Cedar street, has recovered sufficiently to return to her home from the New Castle hospital.

REFUSE TO CUT ASSESSMENTS

Council convened yesterday as a board of revision and refused to lower assessment on the Edward Brindle property, North Jefferson street, and the North Jefferson street bus station.

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Some of the big shells fired by battleships can drive through tough steel armor as much as a foot and a half

Iwo's Terrain Gives Japs Good Defensive Plan

By JOHN R. HENRY

WITH THE U.S. FLEET MARINE FORCE ON IWO JIMA, Feb. 23.—Japanese forces today squeezed every possible advantage out of Iwo Jima's terrible terrain.

Hidden in these hideous hills and volcanic crags, which comprise the most rugged battle ground in the Pacific the enemy has made use of heavy caliber guns and mortar fire than in any previous island defense and, once again, has succeeded in reducing the fight to almost a man-to-man basis.

Nearly Hand to Hand

Clawing forward over rocky-cratered lava formations that look more like pictures of the moon than anything we have seen on this planet, the Marines find the battle far more personal than the broad strategy implies. It was something else to them beside a matter of leathernecks trying to wrest a fortress island from the enemy so that American bombers will have only a three-hour flight to Tokyo.

It was at the same time a series of bloody little brawls in which squads of 10 men—sometimes one man alone—seized a pillbox or a camouflaged rifle pit. It was the volcanic sand and rock blood and wounded buddies, cold rain and this fanatical foe—all rolled into one package.

Look Like Firemen

Down on the southern tip of the island, where the 23rd Marines under Col. Harry Liversage of Pine Grove, Calif., surrounded the base of Suribachi volcano, the Leathernecks looked more like firemen fighting a skyscraper blaze than devil dogs killing Japs.

The Marines were preparing to scramble up the steep bare slopes of 554-foot Suribachi.

The Japanese, trapped in the top of this cratered bastion of rock, dropped grenades on the Yanks. Casualties were caused, but the Marines disposed of more than a dozen enemy snipers.

Human hands could have built no more formidable fort than Suribachi, but they did improve its defensive works. It is some 500 yards

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in diameter. Caves have been built into its side, and they probably are connected by underground tunnels. Trails leading to its defunct crater are blocked by pillboxes, each covered with boulders.

At least eight of the Suribachi garrison, however, already have preferred the company of "honorable ancestors" to the impending capture of their crag fortress by Marines. Col. Liversage reported that these Japanese soldiers, battered by continual Naval gunfire and bombing, leaped from the height of Suribachi to a suicidal death on the island's eastern coastline.

These eight were among the hundreds of dead Japanese that have been counted.

FARM CENSUS TO BE TAKEN SOON

Quinquennial Census To Be Taken This Year By Federal Government, Census Bureau States

According to an announcement from the district office at Erie, the bureau of census of the department of commerce is making plans for conducting the quinquennial farm census, taken every five years.

The census this year will be more important than at any time in the nation's history, as it will give the government a clear idea of the nation's food stock and is also important to such agencies as the farm credit administration, soil conservation office, and department of agriculture. It is also pointed out that up-to-date agricultural statistics will be of fundamental importance in planning the reconversion of agriculture and industry from a wartime to a peacetime economy.

Lt. Bill Thompson Is En Route Home

Navigator On Bomber With Eighth Air Force Has Completed Missions Against Nazis

First Lt. William E. "Bill" Thompson, son of George B. Thompson, of 101 W. Grant street, navigator on a B-17 Bomber with the Eighth Air Force in England, has completed his required missions, and is on his way home, a cablegram received by his father this morning reads.

Lt. Thompson has been overseas for several months and has taken part in recent bombing missions over Germany.

Discharged: David Hasely, R. D. 2; Ronald Buccini, Wampum; Andrew C. Jamison, Adams street; Earl Allison, R. D. 1; Mrs. Kathryn Jones, Elizabeth street; Mrs. Rose Macri and daughter, Bessemer; Mrs. Myrtle Symons and son, R. D. 4.

NEW CASTLE HOSPITAL

Admitted: Katherine Jean Ambrosia, R. D. 2, Lowellville; O. George Minckey, Neshannock avenue; Mrs. Goldie Anthony, West Washington street; Oswald Kosior, Wampum; Mrs. Anna Bower, R. D. 2, Wampum.

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Union High Holds Basketball Dance; Calico Ball Planned

Relaxing after the Union-Besemer game Thursday evening, several hundred Union High school students gathered in the gymnasium of the school for an informal dance sponsored by the cheerleaders, under the supervision of Miss Angeline Venditto and Miss Dorothy Wadlinger.

On Friday evening, March 2, the annual Calico Ball given each year by the Palette club will take place in the High school, with all of the girls coming in gowns of printed cotton.

Two drums lost by the British Black Watch regiment in 1940 have been found by American troops in one of the Metz forts.

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CHEWTON

SUNDAY SERVICES

Chewton Christian Church—10:00 a. m. Bible school, C. B. Guy, supt. Mrs. O. Douthitt, jr. supt.; 11:00 Lord's Supper and morning worship; 6:45 p. m. Y. P. C. U.; 7:30, song service and evening worship. C. P. Durbin, pastor.

CHEWTON NOTES

Mrs. Glenn Hennon attended a W. C. T. U. meeting in New Castle on Thursday.

Mrs. Stella Hennon of Wampum attended at the home of Mrs. Eliza Conner Monday.

The Boy Scout troop under the direction of Elmer Badger, will collect all old papers and magazines for the Paper Salvage Campaign on Saturday afternoon, March 3.

The papers and magazines should be tied into bundles separately.

Word has been received here of the serious illness of Mrs. Matilda Fury, a former resident of Chewton. Mrs. Fury is confined to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Elmer Best, of Ellwood-Zellenpole road.

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HEADS SCOUTS
GROVE CITY, Feb. 23.—After more than seven months of frontline combat duty in France and Germany, T-Sgt. Roy Uber is spending a 30-day furlough at his home here. A platoon sergeant in the 29th Infantry Division, the local soldier holds the Bronze Star for heroic achievement, the Purple Heart for battle wound, and the Combat Infantry Badge for exemplary conduct in action against the enemy. He is a former star athlete at the local high school.

HEADS SCOUTS
GROVE CITY, Feb. 23.—Harry McNutt was re-elected president of the Commodore Perry District, Boy Scouts, for the fourth consecutive year, at the annual meeting. The district covers Leesburg, Grove City, Mercer and Sandy Lake.

Dr. James M. Barnett was named vice president, and Francis Hall commissioner. The executive board includes: Norman Grill, Russell Smith, C. A. Woods, Prof. A. G. Wood, Harry McNutt, H. W. Clarkson, Rev. W. A. Lloyd and W. A. Wright.

1526.92 IN DIMES

GROVE CITY, Feb. 23.—The final report of H. W. Clarkson and Mrs. Robert Smiley, chairmen of the March of Dimes campaign for the infantile paralysis fund, totaled \$1,726.92. This is an increase of more than \$600 over the total of last year.

Securities Dealers Given Suspension

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 23.—(INS)—E. H. Roilins & Sons, Inc., securities dealers, was under a 60-day suspension today from the National Association of Securities Dealers, Inc., on a charge of fraudulently using special accounts for the board of missions of the Methodist Episcopal Church South.

The Securities and Exchange Commission, in Philadelphia, also revoked the broker-dealer registration of Walter Cecil Rawls manager of the firm's St. Louis office, who is accused on the same charge as the firm.

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Ambridge Here Tonight, Final Of 1945 Season

New Castle Seeks To Avenge Earlier Defeat At Hands Of Ambridge High

BILL ANDREWS TO PLAY FINAL GAME

New Castle High school basketball team will play its final game of the 1945 floor season tonight at George Washington gym floor, battling the Ambridge High team in a section three game postponed earlier by the coal shortage. New Castle hopes to avenge its 36 to 32 defeat at Ambridge in January.

The Third U. P. team of the New Castle Church league will play the New Castle High Junior Varsity in the preliminary game at 7 o'clock.

Final For Andrews

Tonight marks the end of the basketball career of young Bill Andrews, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Andrews of 123 East Garfield avenue. As in football, young Andrews has given his best to the basketball squad, he ranks as one of the greatest floor performers to ever don a New Castle High uniform.

Andrews is in the same category as Davey Hoskins, Walt Fulkerson, Joe Hartman, Len Friedman, Andy Hartman, Bus Strausbaugh, Pop Adams and Bus Reiber for cleverness on the hardwood court. He can do everything that a basketball player should do and he does it right. Smart, with basketball sense, Andrews has held the New Castle team together when the going got rough. To say that Bill is going to be missed next year when basketball and football season rolls around would be like saying you wouldn't miss your right arm. In the parlance of newspapers Andrews is a "natural athlete," very few are born with that gift.

Three Left for 1946

Getting through along with Andrews is Ray Owoc, a lad who deserves credit for the way he stepped into the vacancy caused by the graduation of Eddie Jackson, a fine player, and has given his best to the squad. He is an aggressive guard, not much for scoring, but a good floor worker.

As a nucleus next year Coach Phil Bridenbaugh will have such stars as Al Koszela, Dick Whittaker, and Pete Stack left from the starting varsity, which is pretty fair material in anybody's league.

Ambridge High tied with New Castle for fifth place in the league will be tough tonight, but our guess is, that New Castle will end the 1945 season in a blaze of glory. Hyntany-H5

Corn, white potatoes, tobacco, many kinds of beans, peanuts, pumpkins, squash, the sweet potato and tomato were all cultivated by American Indians.

NEW CASTLE NEWS SPORTS



FAIR OR FOUL

By LAWTON CARVER
INS Sports Editor

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—When it comes to taking it on the chin in the interest of the war effort, sports apparently can do it more gracefully than some of our other enterprises. The sports world in this country has set out to do just that way—to comply with what the government wants without any squawks. One sport, baseball, seems to be going around with its hat in its hands seeking favors, but we will go into that later.

Take horse racing for instance. There hasn't been an official squawk of any kind since the tracks were closed down in January. Occasionally some individual has stuck his head up and popped off, but he was promptly slapped down by his own people, and racing is coasting along waiting for Washington to say when the tracks may reopen.

Can't Take It

In the meantime New York's night clubs have been caught in the nationwide midnight curfew starting next Monday night.

So what happens? A mass meeting was held in one of our midtown joints and you would think from the hurt expressions and the general babbling that every one of our night club proprietors had been ordered to join the Marines and get shot at on some of these invasions we are now carrying out.

The night clubs can't take it. At least they are not taking it without a beef. Yet they are not being put out of business. They can still gather in the suckers until midnight. Racing will put entirely out of business. And racing, mind you, didn't squawk.

Babesball Looks Bad

Baseball is about to make itself look bad. I reported last week that Ford Frick had told some of the members of the press that he did not plan to go to Washington, that he had no appointment with officials.

That was duly published, but I knew then that he had told at least one reporter and asked that it be kept off the record, that he and Will Harridge, president of the American league, had laid the groundwork for the current conference with Washington officials.

Frick, as president of the National league, was trying to kid somebody, and still is.

The truth of all this is that baseball is seeking favors in Washington but refusing to admit that the so-called national game is asking for any edge over other sports.

Beating Around Bush

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By PAT ROBINSON
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Mike certainly covered a lot of territory in that statement, but he is convinced that the 147-pound Robinson could give away from 50 to 70 pounds to some of our heavyweights and beat them.

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(Special To The News)

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(Special To The News)

NEW WILMINGTON, Feb. 23.—As a prelude to the W.P.I.A.L. Class B tourney game, at New Castle's Washington High gym, Monday night, with Zelienople High, the New Wilmington rampaging Greyhounds will play Mercer tonight at the Community House floor.

Coach Timmy Hutchison will give his Section 21 champions a real work tonight. Mercer will be tough and will provide the right kind of opposition to put the Greyhounds in shape for the tough tussle Monday night at New Castle.

Hundreds of New Wilmington fans will be on hand at the game tonight to acclaim the sectional champions, and to watch the topnotchers in action.

Junior Church Games Saturday

Six more games will be played in the Junior church basketball league at the "Y" Saturday. The games are as follows:

Highland U. P. vs First Christians First U. P. vs First Presbyterians Cen. Pres. vs St. George Epworth vs Croton Methodist First Baptist vs Trinity Third U. P. vs Second U. P.

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Lou Novikoff Sent To Coast

Chicago Cubs Send Mad Russian Back To Minors For Weak Hitting

CHICAGO, Feb. 23.—(INS)—Lou Novikoff, who was a rampaging fence buster in the Minors but just a bust with the Chicago Cubs, was back today on the roster of the Los Angeles club whence he came in 1941.

Cub officials in announcing the Mad Russian's outright release to their West Coast farm club after all other 15 Major league clubs had waived on him, gave the impression the colorful player never again would wear a Cub uniform.

When he came to the Cubs with Infelder Lou Stringer for \$100,000 in 1941 he had the most laudatory press notices of any Minor league player since Joe Di Maggio. He was a sensation and a batting champion in every league he played.

On donning a Cub uniform he promptly became a mediocre player, his .300 batting record in 1942 being his best.

Buckeyes Must

Defeat Illinois

(International News Service)

A crippled University of Illinois basketball squad will meet Ohio State at Columbus tonight in a game which may well decide final Buckeye standings in the Western Conference title race.

The Buckeyes, with eight victories and two defeats, now rank third in conference standings.

The Illini have won seven while losing one to trail the pace-setting Iowa Hawkeyes by .03 percentage points.

The Hawkeyes have a record of eight conference triumphs against one defeat.

Unless the Buckeyes can reverse

last week's decisive 56-41 defeat at the hands of the Illini at Champaign, they face almost certain elimination from title competition.

They have one more scheduled game, a contest with Indiana at Columbus tomorrow night.

CARDINALS WIN

The Cardinals nosed out the Pirates last night in a House league game at the "Y" 34 to 33 when Bill

of the Cards caged a field goal, with only two seconds left to play.

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For Glamor Only



SAY, whatever became of the six-day bike racers? They're gone with the war but bike riding isn't—if you have a bike. This young lady, Claire Poe, cover girl, likes to ride for health and exercise. She is pictured at Miami Beach and she's wearing Tommies pajamas. (International)

Games Tonight

In 'Y' League

Three games will be played this evening in the Indus-Church League at the "Y". The first game at 7:30 o'clock will have the First Presbyterians battling the St. George Greeks.

In the second game the Epsworth team of the church league plays the Aluminum Company in exhibition game. In the third contest the Radiators will battle the Shenango Pottery. The Pottery can clinch the title with this one.

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JUDGING from the misses that Ruffles Johns, ex-gate crasher and an honorably discharged soldier, has been firing at us, Bob Sterling isn't the only son of Pa New who is on the Silver Screen. Indeed not, according to Ruffles now at Hollywood. He's in the "Gay Nineties." In fact, he's part of the screen. "When the picture shows in New Castle, he'll be there," the former local boy who would like to "do" Rudolph Valentino, reports.

Boys who like their beef served rare via boxing gloves intend to drink in the sight of Jimmy Bivins, colored, boxing the Ponderous Pole, Johnny Flynn, at Cleveland, Tuesday night. Wouldn't be surprised were Jimmy to hand the Pole a clubbing ... Dr. Henry Sloan is an ex-News reporter. Paul Saffron, in Pittsburgh recently, Paul an airplane gunner, was together when we covered the Volant bank robbery.

Charlie French, fish commissioner, is recuperating in Harrisburg, from a recent operation. He will be unable to attend the Talk & Eat session here ... Johnny Gilliland, Alex Miles and Jack Fritz, all of the 7th Air Force, met recently in England where they are based. Ralph Kradel, with a monie outfit, tried to make it but apparently couldn't get a pass. ... Haven't heard recently from Jim McGovern, the McPhersons and others of the local outfit—and a great one, too.

Famous Pairs of Today and Yesterday: Bob Hope and Frances Langford; Bob Burns and Uncle Slag; Mortimer and Charlie McCarthy; Ted Kid Lewis and Jack Britton; George Chip and Jack Dillon; the Coopers; famous singles, Bing Crosby and Marlene Dietrich and an ex-renowned trio, Evers to Tinker to Chance ... Before marriage a fellow can have but first and last words but after marriage he can only have the first ... Sergeant Jerry Weiss who covered the Dodgers for the New York Post in 1940 is reconditioning at Deshon annex.

In reply to F-2-e Russell A. Hedland, San Pedro, Calif.: New Castle high went to the WPIAL floor mauls in 1936, the winner is decided by the point system; New Castle defeated Massillon in football in 1937, do not know

Baseball Moguls Start Planning On 1945 Season

Amber Light By ODT Means Baseball Will Be Played But Under Restrictions

NIGHT BASEBALL NOT DISCUSSED

By EARL MARCKES
(I.N.S. Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—Baseball's 1945 program had an amber light today with traveling schedules cut 25 per cent, the All-Star game canceled, the World Series in doubt and congressional action on pending manpower legislation still awaited.

Presidents Ford Frick and Will Harridge of the National and American leagues agreed, however, after a two-day conference with government officials that the restrictions still add up to baseball this year—but without the frills.

Part Made Clear

"Our part in the war program is pretty clear now and we are going ahead with our plans," Frick said.

These plans include a four-point "voluntary" agreement with ODT permitting a 154-game schedule which is expected to set a travel policy for other sports, and an arrangement to use currently available under-and-over-age and 4-F players.

The transportation agreements directs teams to play games only in the home city of one or the other competing clubs, eliminates all exhibition contests, except with service squads, cuts club rosters to the minimum on road trips, and urges elimination of all unnecessary travel.

This compact was construed as a possible guide for other sports such as football and basketball. Applied to them, all except "home" games would be prohibited. Thus, such turnstile-twisters as Notre Dame's game with Army and Navy at Yankee stadium and Baltimore and Indiana regional basketball contests would be banned.

Bob Frick and Harridge were sanguine over the results of their meetings with War Mobilizer James F. Byrnes and ODT Chief J. Monroe Johnson.

No All-Star Game

They had ODT's qualified approval for the continuance of baseball, but they conceded that pending labor legislation and military de-

mands for manpower might have some effect on the overall picture. Elimination of the All-Star game, scheduled for Boston, would prevent some 500 players, club owners, managers, newsmen and attaches, plus thousands of fans, from using overcrowded rail facilities, they pointed out.

Harridge said that the question of electricity for night baseball was not discussed with government officials.

"Not a word was said about it to anyone," he added.

Byrnes' midnight curfew order on entertainment places cited excessive use of war scarce coal and electricity. But Harridge pointed out that baseball games are customarily played during the warm season when fuel is not needed for both heating and electricity.

Titans Battle Juniata Five

Dick Wareham, State's Leading Scorer, Makes Juniata Formidable Foe

NEW WILMINGTON, Pa., Feb. 23.—Back in their winning ways again Westminster College's Titans will attempt to add another victory to their record here tonight when they meet the Juniata College Indians in the next to the last home game.

Although Juniata has one of the district's highest scoring players on their squad in the person of Captain Dick Wareham, the locals should have little difficulty duplicating a previous triumph over the men from Huntingdon. In a contest last month on the Juniata home court, the Titans had a field day winning 81-40.

Wareham High Scorer

The only veteran on the Indian quintet, Wareham is now the state's leading scorer with 187 points per game. Key man in Juniata's offense, the star forward, shoots most of his field goals with one hand. Last season, he placed on the All-State second team.

Last Saturday the Blue and White gave a wallop to a weakened Carnegie Tech quintet, 84-51, in an uneventful game. The Titans' low scores in the string of three losses to Hamline, Bowling Green, and Pitt brought down their average per game to 68.5 while the opponents' average was raised to 53 for the season.

Remaining games on the Lawrence countians' schedule are with Geneva at Beaver Falls March 1 and with Akron here March 3.

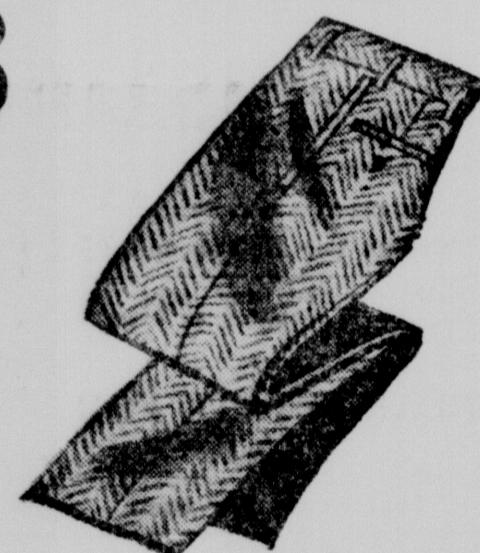
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No Horse Racing In Any Community

War Mobilizer Byrnes Defines Racing Ban As Meaning Everywhere

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—(INS)—War Mobilizer James F. Byrnes made it plain Thursday that no exceptions could be made for any localities in his ban on wartime horse racing.

In a letter to Rep. Barry D. N. Y., Byrnes said that while the beneficial result of the suspension may not be apparent in the New York City area, "results in other parts of the country have been sufficient to justify the move."

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LEGAL NOTICES**Advertisement For Sale
Of Land**

By Resolution of the Council of the City of New Castle, passed the 5th day of February, 1945, I am authorized to advertise for sale or lease of the land of the following real estate owned by the City of New Castle, which was acquired for the purpose of widening and improving Taylor street, and which will be sold by the City of New Castle has no further public need unless a part of the said land and at some time be required for the State Highway Department of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for further widening of the said Taylor street.

The said land is described as follows:

Commencing on the South side of Taylor street, as the same is now ordained, where in intersects the line of Cunningham avenue, thence by a Northwesterly direction approximately 223.8 ft. thence by land of the Thielman and later of the Harmon Building Company in a Northerly direction approximately 75 ft., thence in an Eastwardly direction parallel to Taylor street by land of the Fennell, et al., 50 ft., thence by the same in a Northerly direction 45 ft., thence by the same in a Eastwardly direction 75 ft., to the West line of Cunningham avenue, thence by the West line of Cunningham avenue North 1.57° West 39 ft. to the place of beginning, and back as designated by the same on record in the City Survey.

Bids will be received by the council for the sale of the land without reservation and bids will also be received with a written statement that the bidder shall waive all damages or claims for damage, which might later accrue, to the said land because of any further improvement or use of the said Taylor street by the State Highway Department, either by land taken or for injury to the land, and such reservation to be held for the benefit of the City of New Castle, as against any such claim by the said purchaser or his heirs and assigns.

After the said bids are received and opened, the Council shall decide whether to sell the same in its entirety or such reservation, or to sell it at all, and shall reserve the right to take any or all bids.

All bids will be accompanied by a certified check for \$50,000 and shall be sent to the City Clerk on or before the 26th day of February, 1945, and shall be opened and read at a public meeting of the Council of the City of New Castle to be held on the 26th day of February, 1945 at 10:00 A.M.

C. ED. BROWN, City Clerk.
Legal—News—Feb. 12, 19, 23, 1945.

PROPOSAL FOR FURNISHING PAPER

For FURNISHING PAPER
Certified or bank checks payable to order of State Treasurer, to accompany proposals for each class.

C. ED. BROWN, City Clerk.
Legal—News—Feb. 12, 19, 23, 1945.

WANTED—Real Estate

LOT FOR SALE—50x30 paved concrete Delaware and Meyer. Reasonable. Phone 2487-M 11*-51

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WANTED—By local minister, 6 or 7-room modern home, North or South Suburb, 2-year lease. Write Box 422—News 11*-54

WANTED—To buy, 4, 6 or 7 small room modern house, near Geo. Washington high school preferred. Write Box 398, east of News Co. 5612-54

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5413-54

AUCTION SALES**PUBLIC SALE**

At the farm of John Youravich, 2 miles south of Pulaski on what is known as Old W. Va. road. FRIDAY, MARCH 2nd at 1:00 P.M.

C. M. WOOLWORTH, SECRETARY OF PROPERTY AND SUPPLIES

Legal—News—Feb. 2, 12, 23, 1945

Notice Of Withdrawal From Partnership

Notice is hereby given that the partnership between F. A. Newell and C. W. Delaney, doing business under the firm name of Castle Roofing and Sheet Metal, was dissolved on the 31st day of December, 1944, by the withdrawal of R. A. Newell. All debts due the said partnership are to be paid and those due from the partnership are to be paid at once. South Croton Avenue, New Castle, Pennsylvania, where the business will be continued by the said C. W. Delaney under the fictitious name as hereinafter registered, "Castle Roofing and Sheet Metal".

R. A. NEWELL,
C. W. DELANEY,
Attorneys at Law.

New Castle, Pa.

Legal—News—Jan. 26, Feb. 2, 9, 16, 23, Mar. 2, 1945.

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS FOR CONCESSIONS AT CASCADE PARK

Proposals will be received by me at my office, 101 W. Main, at 10:00 A.M. for the right and privilege to operate concessions at Cascade Park which are not now under lease.

All bidders shall state specifically in their proposals what concessions they desire to operate and maintain at said park, the terms and conditions upon which the same will be operated and maintained, and the amounts that the said concessionaire is willing to pay therefor.

All bids shall have to be accompanied by a check for Fifty (\$50.00) Dollars to guarantee the execution of a contract, if any. The said bids shall be open to inspection at the office of New Castle at 10:00 o'clock A.M. on Monday, March 12, 1945, or as soon thereafter as possible. The Council shall have the right to accept or reject any or all bids, and no exclusive contract will be let.

All proposals shall be for a concession in the form and manner the specifications of a contract adopted by the Council and which may be examined in the office of the City Solicitor.

C. ED. BROWN, City Clerk.

MORRIS WEINSTEIN, Auctioneer.

11*-55

AUCTION SALE—SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1945.

Indoors at C. & S. Coal & Clay Company, Zelienople, Pa. from 1:00 P.M. to 3:00 P.M., or to 10:00 P.M. Miscellaneous farm implements, horses, ponies, cows, pigs, chickens, saddles, bridles, draft harness, pony harness, sets and harness, household furniture, pictures, books, domestic and oriental rugs. B. J. Cunningham, Phoe Zelienople, 183, Phone Pittsburg Montrose 7604. Oliver Wright auctioneer.

5513-54

LEGAL NOTICES**Advertisement For Bids**

FOR THE SALE OR FOR THE REMOVAL AND STORAGE OF THE MERRY-GO-ROUND EQUIPMENT AND SIX GORGE RIDE CARS AT CASCADE PARK

I will receive bids until Monday, March 12, 1945 at 10:00 o'clock A.M. for the sale and removal of all of the equipment now in the Merry-Go-Round at Cascade Park and of six cars to be removed and used on the Gorge Ride at the said park.

I will also receive alternative bids for the removal and storage of the MERRY-GO-ROUND equipment and the storage of it in some place to be designated by the City.

Specifications and the conditions for the removal and storage of the said equipment may be obtained from Joseph D. Alexander, Superintendent of Parks and Public Property, and the said equipment may be inspected at the said park.

All bids to be accompanied by a certified check for Fifty (\$50.00) Dollars. Said check will be retained at the time stated herein as limitation for the receiving of bids by me, and the Council may reject any or all bids.

C. ED. BROWN, City Clerk.

Legal—News—Feb. 23, Mar. 2, 9, 15, 23, 30, 1945.

JOHN YOURAVICH, Owner

P. LASKI, Ph. D. L.

MORRIS WEINSTEIN, Auctioneer.

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REPORTS HEARING**REMINDER OF HOME**

SOMEWHERE IN THE PACIFIC

—(INS)—Under a blazing tropical sun on an island in the Pacific, three Marines idly watched their cans of "C" rations heating over a small fire, reports Sgt. Charles B. Cunningham, a Marine Corps combat correspondent.

Smyth county is in the southwest corner of Virginia and Marion is about 50 miles west of Pulaski.

No trace of the plane has been reported since it went over Marion. It was feared the plane might have come down in the Clinch mountains.

"Hey," said one of his buddies, "your chow's burning!"

"I know," he replied languidly. "I'm lettin' it burn just a little so it'll remind me of my wife's cooking."

EXECUTORS' NOTICE

Letters testamentary having been issued in the estate of J. Frank Rinker, late of the city of New Castle, Pa., personal representative of demands against said estate are requested to make known the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, without delay, to Walter M. Rinker, 602 Oak Street, New Castle, Pa., and Ira A. Rinker, 928 Adams St., New Castle, Pa., Executors, or Gilbert E. Long, Atty. L. S. & T. Bldg., New Castle, Pa.

Legal—News—Feb. 2, 9, 16, 23, Mar. 2, 9, 1945.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Letters testamentary in the estate of Frances Conti, a/k/a Francesco Conti, a/k/a Frank Conti, a/k/a Eugenio Conti, late of 531 Electric Street, New Castle, Pennsylvania, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims to payment, are requested to make payment, to the executors to the attorney for the deceased, A. E. Alexander, Atty. L. S. & T. Co. Bldg., New Castle, Pa.

Legal—News—Feb. 23, Mar. 2, 9, 15, 23, 30, 1945.

Administrator's Notice

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Plus Tax

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Main Floor



Van Raalte

AMERSUEDE GLOVES

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Its open season for suits and suit gloves, try these 8-button length slip-ons for simple styling, easy fit, undaunted wear. Whip stitch trim, favorite colors are Chinese fuchsia, sun char-treuse, country cream, lime light. Sizes 6½ to 7½.

Main Floor



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Large Size Laboratory Tested Toiletries

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★ Cleansing Cream, 8 ounces
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The Collar on . . . Collar off
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featuring two styles in one

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Be suited in a Barbisie twin style suit and you'll lead a double life, successfully, all year round. Just a twist of the wrist removes the collar—and there you are in the cutest cardigan, with an adorable box pleated skirt. Done in beautiful detail of wondrously soft 100% wool, in heavenly pastels.

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Snug fitting felts in off-the-face styles with felt laced edges—pill box and visor styles with cut felt flower trims—felt flower trimmed calots and feather trimmed straws in soft spring pastels and dark shades.

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Lingerie—Second Floor

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Boy coats of all wool shetland in single breasted styles with flap pockets and 4-button closing.

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Colors: Gold, Luggage, Copen, Sunset

Sizes 10-12-14-16

Teen-Agers—Second Floor

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